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Bridge

Body Hunt Fails

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va. (UPI)—Divers braved icy waters and swift currents Saturday night in an around-the-clock search for bodies, cars and trucks flung to the bottom of the rain - swollen Ohio River when a steel suspension bridge collapsed Friday.

The search began at dawn and by nightfall an estimated 57 vehicles were found. (See also Page 39.)

"There are indications there are 17 trucks and 40 cars," said Cmdr. A. S. Zabinski, chief of the U.S. Coast Guard station at Huntington, W. Va.

Zabinski said the speed of the currents prevented cranes from pulling any wreckage from the water.

PUSHED AWAY

"The divers were pushed away from what they were working on," he said.

At least eight persons were known dead and 45 others reported missing. Five bodies were recovered along the river banks Friday night. Three others were pinpointed in the twisted wreckage of the superstructure Saturday but had not been brought to shore.

COULD REACH 80

Commissioner T. A. Welty of the West Virginia state police estimated the death toll could reach 80 or more.

West Virginia and Ohio State officials, whose states the bridge connected, said many bodies were probably washed far downstream within hours of the accident and an accurate toll would never be known.

The three-piered span, known locally as the Silver Bridge because of its aluminum paint coating, gave way with a thunderous roar during the evening rush hour. Estimates on the number of vehicles on the bridge at the time ranged up to 100.

'SLIM HOPE'

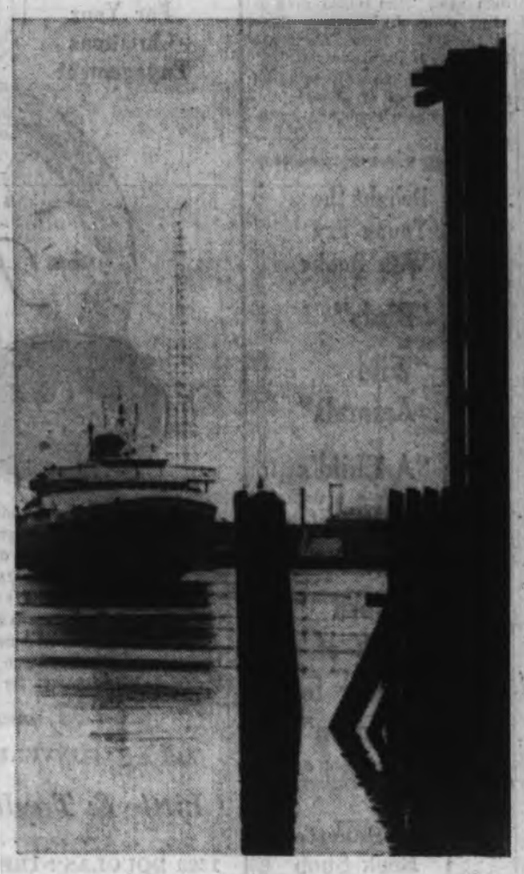
"We are concerned with survivors or bodies," Zabinski said. "There is always hope. But it is a slim hope."

While the recovery efforts continued, there was criticism of the bridge in some circles and speculation as to what caused the collapse.

Mayor D. B. Morgan of Point Pleasant, a community of 7,000, said he noticed a "weakening" condition in the bridge 18 months ago.

Gallia County (Ohio) prosecutor John A. Epling labelled the span safe.

"Hell, I drove it every day."



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Approaching Seattle slip

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Inaugural Ferry Had 90 Aboard

SEATTLE (AP)—The ferry Matanuska, first southbound ship in Alaska's new service to Puget Sound, got a traditional harbor greeting as she arrived Saturday.

There was a fireboat salute and a public address system sent out recorded marching music. A small crowd, mostly relatives of the travellers, waited in the rain as the Matanuska docked.

The Matanuska, which left Ketchikan Thursday, five hours late, was about two hours behind schedule here but still made good time against strong headwinds.

There were 90 passengers on the southbound trip, most of them Alaskans leaving for the holidays. Ninety-three passengers were booked for the return trip Saturday afternoon.

Thirty-seven cars and 14 trailers were aboard as the Matanuska arrived.

Skindiving Expedition

AUSTRALIA'S PREMIER LOST IN SEA

Superport

● The need for speedy action on the development of the proposed superport for deepsea shipping at Roberts Bank, near Tsawwassen, is explained by the originator of the idea, Victoria's Edward M. Chisholm, in an illustrated article on Page 23 today. The author also outlines what an ideal port such as the one proposed would encompass, and the benefits for all of British Columbia, Canada and North America.

Copters Join Search

MELBOURNE (AP) — Prime Minister Harold Holt was missing on a swimming outing today in a treacherous ocean area and police began a massive search after he could not be found in an initial 2½-hour combing of the beach.

The latest report from the search scene said Holt and a friend, Alan Stewart, went swimming at midday near Portsea, a resort village 37 miles south of Melbourne.

The report quoted Stewart as saying he was waiting on the beach while Holt swam about 100 yards into heavy surf, dived and disappeared.

An unconfirmed report said a woman swimming nearby saw the prime minister in difficulty.

Heavy surf still was running as foot police, skindivers, police launches and helicopters searched the area.

STRONG SWIMMER

Officials of the prime minister's staff said Holt, 59, was an experienced and strong swimmer and they would not "presume the worst" until every possible search had been completed.

"I must admit that it doesn't look good," one official said. "but it's only four o'clock and we've got another four hours of daylight yet."

First reports said Holt lost

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—AP

Prime minister in skindiving gear

Harold Holt

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'Matinee Idol' Of House

Australian Wayne Thomas joined the Colonist staff after coming to Canada from Adelaide in 1966.

By WAYNE THOMAS

Harold Holt, the friendly prime minister who spent most of his spare time swimming and skindiving, was known as the "matinee idol of Parliament" early in his political career.

The unofficial title came partly from his informality, good looks and well-tailored clothes.

But it also stemmed from his father being a theatre manager, his aunt performing on the British stage and his father remarrying (after his first wife's death) to Lola Thring, an

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Wilson

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Brown

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Washkansky Suffering Pneumonia

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP)—Louis Washkansky, who got a new heart in a historic transplant Dec. 2, has pneumonia.

The attack is a mild form of pneumonia and a spokesman said that "under the circumstances his condition is satisfactory."

The pneumonia afflicts one lung, the spokesman said, and may not affect the heart transplant. He said there is "no reason for alarm at present."

Wilson Challenged By Cabinet Aces

By GODFREY ANDERSON

LONDON (AP)—A cabinet revolt arising from a ban on shipment of arms to South Africa has challenged Prime Minister Wilson in his role as boss.

Never before have so many of the men Wilson picked for leading posts taken sides against him. A majority of the cabinet, say reliable reports, wants the arms ban—a protest against South African apartheid policies—eased in 1968.

Wilson had intended making a clear restatement in the House of Commons Saturday of the government position against shipping arms. But after a stormy cabinet session Friday it is doubtful he can do more than pledge there will be no immediate change of policy.

LESS THAN FIRM

Wilson's setback at the hands of his own ministers means he now has something less than firm backing for the stand he took in November, 1964, when the arms ban was imposed.

The solid group ranged against him is said to be headed by Foreign Secretary George Brown and to include Home Secretary James Callaghan, Defence Minister Denis Healey, Labor Minister Ray Gunter, and perhaps Roy Jenkins, the new chancellor of the exchequer.

Some political quarters saw this impressive lineup against the prime minister as a potential threat to the government's very existence.

IN FULL GAZE

John Dickenson, political writer of the London Evening News, writes: "Once again the question of the very survival of Mr. Wilson's administration seems in doubt, with ministers and MPs rowing in the full gaze of the whole world."

There has been a suggestion in political circles, Dickenson adds that Wilson might "do a Nasser" by some melodramatic gesture such as quitting the party leadership, then returning a few days later. Such a move would be constitutionally possible without resigning as prime minister.

The row will move this week

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Despite Best Efforts

Presents Not Guaranteed For All Six-Year-Olds

From the darkened window of a cold, bare house in Victoria, a six-year-old boy watched his neighbors arrive home with six bagfuls of groceries and a car load of mysterious brown parcels.

"They know it's nearly Christmas," he told his mother. "How come we don't know?"

His mother had to explain that Christmas doesn't bring universal joy, even in this corner of a wealthy continent.

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His father was recently released from the provincial mental hospital, but in spite of the mental breakdown and a disability caused by a partial stroke, he isn't eligible for disabled persons allowance.

His mother, too, is unable to work, and as if the fates hadn't struck enough blows to the family of five, one of the boy's sisters is handicapped by an eye condition which limits the amount of time she can spend studying.

The family must sustain itself on $200 a month — only $10 each a week.

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There will be no money over for showing the boy that Christmas still exists.

The needs of this family, and of a thousand more, are known to the Christmas Bureau of the Community Welfare Council, which stands ready to pass along any help it can.

The Colonist 500 Fund will look after half of these unhappy families, sharing among them all donations which reach the office by next Thursday.

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So far there is $21 each to send to these people, to spend in any way that will show the boy, and others like him, that Christmas comes once a year to everyone.

Donations can be mailed or brought into the Colonist office, 2631 Douglas Street, or to Avis-Rent-A-Car, 800 Douglas.

Neighboring Quebec Homes

Fire Kills Thirteen

LA SARRE, Que. (CP)—Thirteen persons, 10 of them children, perished Saturday in a fire that ripped through two neighboring houses in this community 200 miles northwest of Montreal.

Dead are Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Bouchard and their children Claudette, 12; Albert, 8; Sylvie, 6; Johanne, 5, and Susie, 15 months.

Five children of a neighboring family also died. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jean-Guy Aubin, were away at the time and the children were in the care of Jocelyne Paradis, 17, who died in the flames.

TWINS TOO

The dead Aubin children are Guylaine, 8; Marie, 6; Daniel 5, and twins Frances and Francine.

A provincial police spokesman said the dead all belonged to two families and added: "An oil space heater exploded at about 5:45 a.m. this morning. It took four hours to put out the blaze and the houses are destroyed."

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Canadian GM Threatened

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — The United Auto Workers Union international executive board may set a Canadian strike deadline against General Motors at a Detroit meeting today, a union negotiator said.

George Burt, Canadian regional director for the UAW, said he will discuss a strike recommendation with the board when it reviews a proposed master working agreement covering about 380,000 General Motors employees in the United States.

He said Canadian negotiators will talk without a strike in mind, but added that if they cannot reach a favorable settlement, "we will set a strike date and be prepared to use it."

Foils Revolt

Firmly back in command of Algeria is President Houari Boumediene, who Saturday accepted surrender of dissident force leader Col. Tahar Zibri, army chief of staff. Outside communication with rest of world has been restored and reports say that 24 persons have been arrested.

ANDY CAPP

Australian Premier Lost in Ocean

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contact with the quarantine officer of Portsea while skin diving.

Deputy Prime Minister John McEwen was alerted and arrangements were made to fly Holt's wife, Zara, from Canberra, the capital, to the search scene.

The area, known as the Back Beach, has an uneven sea floor. The ocean roars in from Bass Straights, swirls around the depressions and races out to sea again.

There are no shark-free areas on the ocean side and with schnapper fish making their annual run into the coast, sharks have been sighted in larger than usual numbers.

Holt, a staunch ally of the United States in the Vietnam war, became Australia's prime minister in January 1966 when Sir Robert Menzies resigned at age 71.

A spokesman at a big quarantine station near the popular beach resort said more than 100 naval and other personnel had been thrown into the search for the prime minister.

Mrs. Caroline Holt, the prime minister's daughter-in-law, said at his holiday home that "he did not take any spearfishing equipment." She added, "Even we know very little."

The quarantine station spokesman said, "The whole area is being combed. We have three helicopters up there. There are three coast guard vessels."

The Australian Navy's cadet training school at Portsea, on the Mornington Peninsula south-east of Melbourne, was turned into headquarters for the search.

Holt had been treasurer and, for 10 years, the deputy leader of the Liberal party and leader of the House of Representatives.

An election last November, in which the main issue was Australia's assignment of 4,500 fighting men to Vietnam, returned his government to power.

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'Matinee Idol'

Australian theatre and radio personality.

Holt married his university sweetheart Zara in 1946, after her first marriage ended in divorce.

She had three sons by her first marriage.

The couple had three daughters, all of whom are now married, and the best-known newspaper photo in Australia in 1966 (when he took over the political reins from Sir Robert Menzies) was Harold Holt at the beach alongside his three beautiful daughters in bikinis.

Zara owns and manages one of Melbourne's most exclusive fashion boutiques.

FORMER TREASURER

Holt, 59, was former federal treasurer.

He had been deputy Liberal leader since 1956, federal treasurer since 1958 and Menzies' close confident and advisor since being elected to Parliament in 1935 at the age of 27.

Like Menzies, Holt graduated in law from Melbourne University, and served in Sir Robert Menzies' first cabinet in 1939-41.

As prime minister, Holt headed a coalition of the Liberal and Country (conservative) parties.

His first few months as Prime Minister were said to be "indecisive" as compared to the 26-year rule of Sir Robert Menzies, but he later put Australia strongly All the Way with LBJ.

Since then, he had moved more in line with establishing friendly working relations with the country's Asian neighbors.

HECTIC TRIPS

During the past 12 months, he and several cabinet ministers made hectic trips north every so often to meet with Asian leaders.

He established working relations with Communist-aligned Cambodia, representing the U.S. there.

In Australian politics today, there can be no comparable successor in either his own or other parties.

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Wilson

from the cabinet room at 10 Downing Street to the floor of the House of Commons and to a meeting of the Labor party's national executive committee, scheduled for Wednesday.

The tone and temper of the executive committee is recognized as decidedly left-wing. That means support for Wilson in his stand to keep the ban.

Much of the pressure for renewing shipment of arms to South Africa comes from businessmen who fear the consequences to their own trade if it becomes South Africa's policy to turn elsewhere—say to France—for imports.

ALWAYS OPPOSED

Some in the opposition Conservative party have always opposed the ban, just as they oppose sanctions against Rhodesia, on the grounds that such measures are seldom effective because rarely observed by all.

But Wilson has plenty of backing, too. More than 130 Labor MPs have signed a motion warning the government not to go ahead with any arms deal.

Jeremy Thorpe, leader of the small Liberal party, issued a call to Liberals everywhere to "raise hell" if the cabinet lifts the present ban.

Soviet Hands On Triggers

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet newspaper Red Star said Sunday that Russian instructors have been on the firing line at missile bases defending North Vietnam from American planes.

Red Star said, that Soviet experts "trained the Vietnamese missilemen day and night, even during raids by American aggressors."

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Sips and Nibbles A Tony Affair

BILL THOMAS' NOTEBOOK Sunday

BACK IN ACTION: After an absence of six months from the local scene, Tony Else is back in action as publicity director for the Red Lion Inn.

Mr. Else will launch his new career in the public relations field by handling a French wine and cheese sortie at the Red Lion.

French trade commissioner Marc Baillard will be on hand Tuesday to explain the vintages.

The experiment lasts from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. for 300 guests. It is not known just what wines will be sipped or what cheeses nibbled, but of all the events planned this season, this looks like one that should not be missed by the lucky 300.

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THANKS HEAPS: The Ice Capades management has sent out a Christmas card that carries the following message:

"From the cast and staff of Ice Capades . . . With this greeting we are making a donation to the 1961 U.S. World Figure Skating Team Memorial Fund to encourage the fine efforts of this fund in the development of ice skating in the United States."

This must make all Canadian fans and Canadians in the cast of the show feel a warm glow inside.

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SWEET BI AND BI: A member of the bicultural and bilingualism commission Louis Gagnon, says the commission has only cost Canadians four candy bars each. Even so, the $7,000,000 represents a lot of sugar.

It might be a good idea if all those Canadians who want this commission to continue send four candy bars to Secretary of State Judy LaMarsh, and save Canada from crumbling in a mess of peanut brittle.

No fudge, please. Things are sticky enough in Ottawa.

If the first report cost just four candy bars, think how long it could go on if we all sent in a bottle of Scotch. But then, its ethnic connections would be quite unacceptable to Quebec.

We might trade. I could send my Scotch to someone in Quebec and he could send me a bottle of the best French brandy. There's bicultularism.

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GIPPER IS CHIPPER: Gipp Forster, who suffered a mild heart attack, is back on the road to recovery and is expected home Monday.

The A Go-Go Club operator is raring to go, but his wife Donna is still determined to keep him home for a spell.

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GIFT HORSE: The Chamber of Commerce annual bash produced a funny moment when the prize donated by Eaton's went to Woodwards' vice-president Courtney Haddock.

The Woodwards' chief asked Eaton's manager Reg Hinds if the refund policy would be honored for the four-place salad setting.

Mr. Haddock ended up carrying his gift home, smiling.

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YOU CAN BE AN ANGEL to Craigdarroch School by letting the non-profit society know where it can rent or buy new quarters next year.

Mrs. Pat Graham (384-4265) is scouting for a building — maybe a big old home — with suitable playing area, anywhere in Greater Victoria. An absolute must is that it be on a sewer line.

The progressive school, now 16 months old, is rallying its parents to finance the move.

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FUNDS STILL SHORT: Esquimalt's speed skater, George Sears, is still looking for sponsors to help him raise $300 for the trip to the Canadian championships at Winnipeg.

Reeve Ray Bryant has promised to match the $15 pledge of Ian Andersen, president of the chamber of commerce.

The basic problem is that most service clubs which usually support these things have held their last meetings for the year.

Decision Up to Each Person On Whether to Quit Smoking

Your Good Health

By JOSEPH MOLNER, MD

Dear Dr. Molner: Why do doctors hedge so about denouncing smoking, and about advising people to quit or not to start, when the evidence of damage to health is so obvious?

Is it because so many doctors smoke and don't have the willpower to quit, or if they have quit as I understand you have, they feel it's a personal choice?

Anything harmful to an individual affects society in general harmfully. If I were a doctor I would unequivocally advocate non-smoking with no ifs or buts. — Mrs. P.M.

How many people ever quit smoking because a doctor told them to? All you can do is lay down the facts, which I try to do, and let people decide for themselves that they're better off if they don't smoke. That's why I quit — I saw the evidence.

Dear Dr. Molner: You wrote about smoking as a cause of amblyopia. Did you mean just in cases of diabetes?

I have had an increasing problem with amblyopia since I was 15. I had never heard it linked with smoking, and thought it was inherited. Would giving up smoking help me? — Mrs. J.B.

Amblyopia (dimming of vision) can be due to many causes or a combination of them. Tobacco, alcohol, hereditary factors and others can be involved.

In a case starting as early as yours, you should have your condition analysed by an ophthalmologist. Since tobacco is one of the known causes, you should stop smoking.

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Dear Dr. Molner: What causes the eyes to swell? I wake up with bags, or almost blisters, under my eyes. I am 42. Does menopause have anything to do with it? — Mrs. S.K.

Menopause in itself does not. The soft, thin-skinned tissues under the eyes may swell readily if excess fluid is being retained. This can occur from many causes, ranging from crying or fatigue to low thyroid function or disease of liver or heart. In the latter cases, other symptoms would be present. Swelling of the eyes alone is not indicative of any one type of illness.

The Weather

Dec. 17, 1967

Cloudy with rain occasionally mixed with snow beginning by midmorning and ending in the afternoon. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Saturday's precipitation, nil; sunshine, 4 hours, 36 min. Recorded high and low at Victoria, 47 and 35. Today's forecast high and low, 42 and 35. Today's sunrise, 8:01; sunset, 4:18; moonrise, 4:36; moonset, 9:14.

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy. Snow by midmorning ending during the afternoon. Cold. Winds, light. Saturday's precipitation, nil. Recorded high and low, 46 and 26.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with rain in the morning. Intermittent rain and snow mixed during the afternoon and evening. Little change in temperature. Winds, northwest 25. Forecast high and low at Tofino, 42 and 32.

North Coast — Showers of mixed rain and snow. Winds northwest 25.

Five-day outlook: Temperatures five degrees lower than normal. Little precipitation.

READINGS

	Min.	Max.	Prec.
St. Johns	34	24	--
Halifax	22	17	Trace
Montreal	24	12	--
Ottawa	27	12	--
Toronto	34	27	Trace
North Bay	25	17	.04
Port Arthur	34	7	--
Kenora	26	12	--
Churchill	22	14	Trace
Winnipeg	28	14	Trace
Brandon	24	5	Trace
The Pas	27	3	--
Regina	22	5	Trace
Saskatoon	22	7	--
Prince Albert	25	5	--
North Battleford	33	12	--
Swift Current	34	11	--
Medicine Hat	28	19	.08
Lethbridge	37	26	.11
Calgary	38	28	.02
Edmonton	35	22	.03
Kimberley	14	3	.04
Castlegar	21	9	--
Revelstoke	21	14	.07
Kamloops	38	18	.02
Penticton	28	22	Trace
Vancouver	41	31	--
Comox	45	28	--
Prince Rupert	40	31	--
Prince George	30	16	.08
Fort St. John	31	23	.04
Whitehorse	26	12	.13
Seattle	39	34	Trace
Portland	46	25	.02
San Francisco	50	34	--
Los Angeles	56	45	--
Spokane	18	10	--
Chicago	40	19	--
New York	37	32	--
Miami	79	66	--
Phoenix	45	33	.02
Las Vegas	44	33	.24
Honolulu	81	65	--

TIDES AT VICTORIA (Pacific Standard Time)

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TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR (Pacific Standard Time)

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18	08.00	11.9	12.50	10.3	14.45	10.4	23.35	1.3
19	08.30	12.0	14.05	10.1	15.20	10.2		
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Bombs Key To Talks —Ronning

Ronning

MONTREAL (CP) — Chester Ronning, Canadian envoy who has made peace missions to Vietnam, says peace talks cannot begin until there is a stop in the bombing of the north.

He says a complete cessation of aerial bombing and any military or naval action against North Vietnam is a key first step in any acceleration toward a lasting peace in Vietnam.

"It will not be easy to lower tensions to the level conducive to intelligent peace talks," he writes in a copyright article in The Star.

TIME QUESTION

"It may be that the time will not be ripe for useful talks before both sides have suffered enough from a war which is not achieving the desired aims of stopping 'aggression' from the other side or bringing the other side to its knees to the conference table.

"Both sides must be convinced that the war is stalemated and that there can be no victory for either side."

IMMEDIATE START

The 73-year-old former Canadian high commissioner to India, who also headed the Canadian delegations to the Geneva conferences of 1954 and 1961 on Vietnam, suggests that once there is a cessation of bombing activities there could be an immediate start of preliminary peace talks between the two sides.

Such preliminary talks, he adds, could prepare the way for the next step—direct talks between the four belligerents in the war: the United States and South Vietnam on one side and North Vietnam and the Viet Cong National Liberation Front on the other.

TRUCE CONTROL

The direct negotiations could result in terms for an over-all ceasefire throughout Vietnam. They could also bring agreement on acceptable terms for a permanent armistice supervised by the International Control Commission composed of India, Poland and Canada.

Then the two sides would be in a position to reach an understanding of the issues to be submitted to a peace conference that would negotiate the phased withdrawal of all American and other foreign troops from Vietnam.

NFL ROLE

The understanding would include acceptance of a representative of the National Liberation Front as a full-fledged member of the projected peace conference and not as a member of the South Vietnam delegation.

There would have to be a guarantee by the great powers of the sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of Vietnam and assurances that all internal matters, including the question of neutrality, be left to the decision of the Vietnamese without foreign interference.

FINAL STEP

"The final step would be the calling of a peace conference by the co-chairmen of the 1954 and 1961-62 Geneva Conferences, the United Kingdom and the Soviet Union," Ronning says.

"Agreement would have to be reached as to the membership of the conference, which should include the great powers concerned, the neighboring states concerned and the nations which compose the International Control Commission."

PRESENT RATE

He warns that an indefinite continuation in the present rate of escalation and widening of the war would "make inevitable the most alarming international consequences" culminating in a nuclear world war.

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Thunderbirds Blast Railyard Near City

SAIGON (AP) — U.S. F105 Thunderbirds zoomed down on the Yen Vien railroad yard, six miles east of Hanoi Saturday.

Pilots claimed they had destroyed 59 box cars and sliced up rail lines at both ends of the yard, destroying at least two buildings in an adjacent support area.

North Vietnamese defenders sent up a barrage of surface to air missiles and anti-aircraft fire. There was a skirmish with northern Migs but no reports were made of any planes down.

U.S. planes also went near the Laotian border bombing supply trucks and trains.

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In Cong Pockets

Powder Not Heroin

SAIGON (AP) — A U.S. army investigation has found that white powder found in packets on the bodies of Communist troopers slain in an attack a week ago is not heroin as an army doctor reported.

A spokesman for the 1st Infantry Division said the packets contained a disinfectant, fungicides, water purifiers, antibiotics and soap.

The enemy troops were killed in a suicide attack on a U.S. artillery unit 50 miles north of Saigon last weekend. Of the 400 troops involved 124 were killed by American crossfire.

There have been numerous previous reports that Communist soldiers use some sort of drugs, especially during suicidal-type attacks. So far as can be determined, none of these reports has been confirmed by competent authorities.

Opium has been found in the possession of Communist troops, but it is believed they use the drug for barter with mountain tribesmen.

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Reds Give Boost To Political Front

WASHINGTON (AP) — Red China and Communist East Germany each gave an unexpected boost Saturday to the campaign of the political organization in South Vietnam to win new international standing and recognition.

U.S. officials say the campaign is aimed at putting a new political face on the Viet Cong-North Vietnamese war to wreck the U.S.-backed South Vietnmese government. But they are not sure precisely what the Communists hope to achieve by this strategy.

Two days ago the political arm of the Viet Cong, the National Liberation Front (NLF), got apolicy statement circulated to all members of the United Nations by request of Communist Romania to UN Secretary General Thant.

The policy statement calls for the creation of a coalition government in South Vietnam, which the NLF declared would be a "national union democratic government."

Saturday U.S. monitors picked up a Prague radio broadcast report of a Peking news conference announcing that China had given the NLF delegation in Peking the standing of an embassy.

Aircraft Shortage Prevents Training

From LAT UPI

WASHINGTON — Shortages of aircraft have adversely affected combat training for U.S. air units deployed to Southeast Asia according to a report released Saturday by Sen. Stuart Symington (D-Mo.).

The report, heavily censored by Pentagon security experts, tells of Symington's findings during a three-week tour of Asia and the Middle East last September.

Comments about aircraft shortages affecting training came when he discussed his visit to the aircraft carrier USS Coral Sea off North Vietnam.

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He said officers had told him that the Coral Sea's 4,000 men had spent 70 per cent of their time deployed with only 30 per cent at home. While the men were at home, shortages of planes were so severe that squadrons were "forced to work long hours, including weekends, to attain acceptable level of training from training from the inadequate number of aircraft available."

The defence preparedness committee has frequently questioned Pentagon aircraft procurement policy and charged that Defence Secretary Robert McNamara had mistaken estimates of needs in the early stages of the Vietnam War.

Symington's reports on Asia and the Middle East have become almost a tradition in the last four years. He is a former air force secretary.

Congressional investigators claimed Saturday that the Viet Cong are winning Vietnam peasants loyalty because they have a more effective land reform program than South Vietnam.

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Peaceful Progress

IT IS TO BE HOPED that the parliamentary external affairs committee quickly rejects Professor C. R. Pratt's suggestion that Canada and other countries now give serious consideration to military intervention in Rhodesia.

Though he qualified this view before the committee by stating that armed force should only be used if all other means used to bring down the illegal regime failed, he added: "But we ought not to give away this card."

It is difficult to understand how a man holding such a responsible position as head of the University of Toronto's international studies program could openly advocate such action for Canada, particularly in the light of our recent experience of foreign interference in our national affairs and our declared post war policy of supporting peaceful settlement of all international disputes.

It may be that Professor Pratt has allowed himself to be unduly swayed by the claims of critics of Britain's Rhodesian policy and extremists of both sides that sanctions against the wayward colony are not working.

If this is the case he would be well advised to study the official report on the effects of the trade embargo against Rhodesia which was presented by the United Kingdom government to the United Nations more than six weeks ago.

These statistics show that although United States imports from Rhodesia increased by 50 per cent in the first quarter of this year, they decreased by 60 per cent from the previous year in the second quarter and in the third quarter will probably have decreased even further.

French imports from Rhodesia for the second quarter of 1967 decreased by 90 per cent, West Germany's decreased 30 per cent in the first quarter and 64 per cent in the second and Japan's decreased by 92 per cent in the first quarter and 93 per cent in the second.

In 1966 alone, the report continues, Rhodesian exports dropped by 40 per cent which has had a very serious effect on the colony's economy. The 1967 production of sugar, which had been one of Rhodesia's major export items, is something less than a quarter of what it was in 1965. This situation has driven the sugar estates to near bankruptcy.

On Rhodesian tobacco, which once brought in one-third of the colony's total export earnings, the report states that sales are almost at a standstill and the regime's maximum payment to farmers has dropped from 70 pence per pound in 1965 to 28 pence per pound which has led to heavy losses for all tobacco growers.

Professor Pratt would also do well to recall British Commonwealth Secretary George Thomson's recent statement of British policy toward Rhodesia:

"A peaceful settlement can't be by its nature a swift settlement. But I think the sanctions have had much more effect than is generally recognized, and certainly than the Smith regime will allow . . . There's a lot of people who are terribly tempted to go for expediency. We intend to stand by principle in relation to Rhodesia. And that's the principle of peaceful progress to majority rule for the people of Rhodesia."

All of which should persuade the external affairs committee not to play the "card" Professor Pratt has chosen for them.

Westward Trend

NOBODY APPEARS TO TAKE very seriously—least of all the West German government to whom it was delivered—a Russian protest note against what it describes as the resurgence of neo-Nazis.

At the same time, the note accused the Bonn government of arming the country in defiance of the Potsdam agreement.

"Effective control is necessary," the note goes on with some pomposity, "to verify the observance on the territory of the Federal Republic of Germany of the demands of the Potsdam agreement on the eradication of militarism and nazism. The powers of the anti-Nazi coalition have a duty to the peoples of the world in this respect."

These powers are Britain, France and the United States, together with Russia, and each received a sharp reminder of their obligations from the Kremlin.

The German reaction was a statement to the effect that the government was quite capable of running the country without Russian assistance.

The Soviet government appears to be deliberately distorting the facts, and the reason is not far to seek.

Bonn has recently signified its intention of re-establishing diplomatic relations with Yugoslavia, broken off in 1957 when Belgrade recognized the government of East Germany.

The Kremlin, for good and obvious reasons, resists this approach to a better understanding between Yugoslavia and West Germany, just as it did in January on the eve of the visit of the Romanian foreign minister, Mr. Cornelius Manescu, to Bonn—a sign of cordiality which resulted in restoration of diplomatic relations between these two countries.

The Russians obviously do not watch with equanimity the tendency among the erstwhile satellite nations to seek more amicable relationships with western European nations.

A despatch from Moscow refers to the current meeting of Romanian and Russian officials there which is believed to be aimed at determining whether their differences can be resolved or Romania will continue to veer westward and away from the Soviet policy line.

There are unmistakable signs of a similar trend in Czechoslovakia, including a mounting opposition to Mr. Antonin Novotny, the Communist Party chief who unwaveringly supports the Kremlin line. The situation was sufficiently acute to bring the Soviet party chief, Mr. Leonid Brezhnev, hurrying to Prague last Friday.

These developments do not herald the dissolution of the Soviet-dominated East bloc, but they do indicate a sensible desire on the part of middle-European countries to mend their relations with western neighbors in the interest of better and freer trade and the healing of old animosities.

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Storm Passing

Ottawa Offbeat

Arthur Laing Unchallenged Champion As Biggest Booster for North-West

By GREGG CONNOLLEY, Colonist Ottawa Bureau

WITH other federal cabinet ministers spelling out potential gloom and doom for Canada at home and abroad, it's nice to have at least one unabashed booster in the government — Northern Development Minister Arthur Laing.

We hear from External Affairs Minister Paul Martin about the terrible state of the world, the atomic peril, starvation in many countries, the threat of war and so on.

From Quebec ministers there are repeated warnings about Quebec leaving Confederation.

There are exhortations from Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp about how we must reduce spending and curb inflation.

Trade Minister Robert Winters counsels us to work harder so as to be more competitive in world markets.

And so it goes down the cabinet line until we get to Mr. Laing who is plainly an optimist and who thinks Canada has a wonderful future.

Anytime he makes a speech his audience comes away with new hope and pride in their country and a curiosity and eagerness about the newer provinces and the great northern territories.

He doesn't even worry excessively about regionalism — the problem that continually confronts Ottawa from all directions, but mostly from Quebec.

"Regionalism we have with us," says Mr. Laing. "It is not my expectation that it will subside."

With this calm assessment of the situation he reports on some of the things that are going on in the west and in the north.

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Remember all the pessimistic reports last spring about the wheat crop? Mr. Laing advises that it was just under 70 per cent of the mammoth 590 million bushels produced in 1966.

And for comparison's sake, if anyone thinks that was bad, how about 1938 when Saskatchewan produced only 28 million bushels.

And it is not as though that province was almost totally dependent on grain any more. This year she is supplying 27 per cent of Canada's oil. And Saskatchewan is preparing to supply the world with potash from a resource that can handle estimated world needs for 500 years.

What about Alberta? A mixed agriculture second only to the "magnificent farming enterprise of Ontario," Mr. Laing exclaims.

He can't resist recalling the Leduc oil fields, the exciting possibility of the tar sands — "with over half the world's known oil resources."

Mr. Laing points to the Rainbow field which after two years of drilling is said to have 1.7 billion barrels in reserve.

He comments fondly that Rainbow has 15,000 barrel-per-day wells compared to the average oil well in the U.S. with a daily production of 16 barrels.

But the northwest corner of Alberta is not Rainbow alone — "within a radius of 200 miles there is an abundance of coal, limestone, iron ore, sulphur, oil and gas," the northern development minister declares.

When Mr. Laing talks about his own British Columbia he positively exudes delight in the glories of this great province.

"Tumbling waters that could provide 100 million kilowatts of installed electric power — huge resources of wood products — mineral values of $330,000,000 — Vancouver, Canada's greatest seaport," the minister crates.

And the Yukon — lead, zinc, copper, silver and tungsten. In the Northwest Territories, many great mineral prospects.

As Mr. Laing calculates: "Total production of metals from the two territories was $44 million two years ago: is $130 million this year; and by 1970 will be a quarter billion."

Now, if Mr. Laing would just say some nice things about Eastern Canada and the Maritimes, there's no telling how far he might go.

Today In History

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

First World War: Fifty years ago today — in 1917 — the Union government, pledged to conscription and headed by Sir Robert Borden, was returned to office in Canada. Gen. H. C. O. Plumber's British forces attacked south of Monte Fontani Secca on the Italian front.

Second World War: Twenty-five years ago today — in 1942 — the Chinese captured Hosueh, a Middle Yangtse River port, in a local offensive. United States bombers raided a Japanese base on Kiska Island in the Aleutians. RAF and RCAF bombers raided objectives in northeastern Germany.

Syria No Satellite

Admitted Russian Influence Stops Short of Instruction

By ROBERT STEPHENS

SYRIA is still the odd man out in the Middle East.

Its government has rejected the U.N. Security Council resolution on settling the Arab-Israel war. It will boycott the Arab summit meeting. It has called for armed struggle to liberate the Israeli-occupied Arab areas (which include about 100 square miles of Syrian territory).

Yet here in the Syrian capital, with the Israeli army only 35 miles away, the war and its consequences seem curiously remote.

In Beirut, full of Syrian political exiles of every shade, you may be told: "Syria is more of a Soviet satellite now than Poland." Nevertheless you will be assured that the Syrian government will soon fall to the 14th coup in recent years — this time engineered again by the old British-Hashemite combination.

"Don't walk in the streets in Damascus," someone may warn you. "They'll spit on you . . . the country is in chaos . . . but don't worry, they won't let you in."

Well, they did. It was a splendid drive from Beirut over the snowpowdered mountains, across the great fertile sweep of the Beqaa plain, through austere brown hills into a river valley where poplars trembled silver and gold over a widening swath of orchards and gardens.

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At the frontier a modest arch across the road said "Welcome to Syria." A few soldiers lounged by the roadside. On the road into Damascus, in between posters for Aeroflot and Sanderson's wallpaper, a primitively painted placard in English read, "Israel is the step-daughter of colonialism and Zionism."

Double avenues lead into a handsome, well-kept city. Damascus is the most stylish and civilized Arab capital. From the Old Town, with its great mosques and bazaars and Arab and Mameluke palaces, new, well-designed modern districts of middleclass flats and offices spread up the surrounding bare hills. The sparkle of their lights is undimmed by any serious blackout.

Beside the old parliament building — now a high school — the favorite hotel of old politicians, all banished, in jail or in prudent retirement, is an echoing shell. A few men in dark suits whisper in dim corners and an occasional lonely tourist or visiting businessman eats an excellent meal and perhaps watches with some bewilderment the Damascus TV.

The atmosphere of the city is quiet, almost dull, but not uncheerful. People stare at an obvious foreigner with curiosity, not hostility. They do not spit. There is not much sign of war fever.

How many Algerians have come to bring their expertise in revolutionary warfare? It is hard to know for sure. In Beirut, they talk of many thousands. But here it sounds as though it might be much less, perhaps only to help to train Palestinian raiders going into Israel-held territory.

The Russians, who have a big mission here, have helped to refurbish the Syrian army and air force, but the Syrian war losses were comparatively light — some aircraft, tanks and vehicles.

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The lost territory is strategically, but not economically, important. There are 116,000 refugees dispersed around Damascus and neighboring districts. Most of the Syrian army made a tactical withdrawal before the Israelis attacked and captured the Syrian heights. At least, so the best-informed foreigners here believe. Some add that the regime needed the army to protect itself against the population rather than against Israel.

But though the present regime is unpopular, especially in the big cities and among the middle classes, it seems to be firmly established. It is based on the reorganized pan-Arab socialist Baath Party and its sympathizers among the army officers — and a ruthless readiness to jail or exile any opponents.

Some of its critics say that it is not really a Baathist government, but a dictatorship of religious and regional minority groups, chiefly the Alawites, a heretical Islamic sect who live in the mountains of northwest Syria and form about 450,000 out of the country's population of 5,500,000. Several of the leading figures of the regime, including its main military prop, General Jedid, are Alawis.

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But it is probable that its main basis is nevertheless ideological rather than communal. It came into being through a split in the Baath Party. The present ruling group were the more radical wing who preached and unrelenting class struggle and rejected the doctrine of the rest of the party — which was also that of the communists — which did not exclude co-operation with the "national bourgeoisie."

Out of a government of 22, only four are Alawis, though admittedly they hold key posts. Three of the leaders, the head of state (Dr. Nureddin Al-Atassi), the prime minister (Dr. Yousef Zeayen) and foreign minister (Dr. Ibrahim Makhous) are linked by a common experience as doctors who volunteered their services to the Algerian and Yemen revolutions.

But a broader characteristic of the regime is that it attempts to represent the countryside rather than the big cities of Damascus and Aleppo, which have been the traditional centers of power; this perhaps inevitably means an increase in the relative power of some of the formerly less influential minority groups who lived in neglected rural areas. The cities contain many of the orthodox Sunni Muslims who form 70 per cent of the population, as well as the bulk of the middle class.

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It is also the city merchants and middle-classes who have suffered most from the nationalization of industry and foreign trade. Business now in the Damascus bazaars is slack, they say. Imports have been cut, but there are still plenty of imported goods in the shops. But agriculture is still the country's biggest industry. It provides two-thirds of exports, especially cotton and wheat.

Though Syria has a regular small balance of payments deficit, its general economic position is sound. The international monetary fund, which had a mission here a few weeks ago, has seen no reason to withdraw its stand-by credit to Syria. It is now earning about $28.5 million a year in transit royalties from the Iraq Petroleum Co. oil pipeline, which has been running normally and has even increased its capacity since it was reopened in August. It is also developing a small oilfield of its own with Russian help.

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The Russians are doing their best to make Syria an economic showplace for Soviet aid and they are very close to the Damascus government. But Syria is not a satellite. Even in foreign trade, only about a third is with the Communist countries. The Russians exercise a restraining military hand as far as they can, but they cannot stop the Syrians taking their own line over Israel, at least verbally, and so qualifying for Pravda's oblique condemnation as "hotheads."

Egypt is in many ways more important for Russia than Syria. But the Russians pursue a skilful long-term policy of building good relations here. They do not even press for more favorable treatment for the Syrian communists. The party is legal, but not active. Its leader, Khalid Baqdash, is prudently out of the country, believed to be in Moscow.

Could Syria maintain its rejection of any political settlement with Israel, if Jordan and Egypt came to terms? If Nasser endorsed a reasonable settlement, which was also accepted by the majority of Palestinian Arabs, this might cause a crisis in the Syrian regime. The majority of Syrian opinion would probably follow Nasser's lead, but much would depend on the army officers.

However, for the moment the Syrian government probably sees this as the least of its perils, since it clearly believes that Israel itself will never make peace on terms that any Arab government could accept.

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Anatomy of Black Power: Concluding a Series

Fear of Genocide Fosters Violence

By COLIN LEGUM

IN the Black Power movement only the Black Muslims now dissent from the philosophy that violence is an inescapable necessity for Negroes in the United States.

American white society assumes that its dilemma over color can be resolved gradually by absorbing more and more black people into its expanding middle class. Black Power has stripped away the wrappings from this unreality.

One can understand the contradictions and tensions of the Negro revolt only if one sees it as simultaneously a struggle to regenerate black society and to change the conditions of the total American society.

There is a new Negro seeking to be released from the pitiless pathology of the black ghetto and from the deromanticized life in the Deep South, and Black Power is teaching him that the only way is through violence—not only against the white man, but also against the old black passivity.

Along with the demand for ending white paternalism goes the demand for ending black "collaboration"—a repudiation of those elements once called "Uncle Toms," but now described more offensively as a "house nigger," or "a white man's patsy."

A resolution passed at the annual convention of the Congress of Racial Equality (CORE) affirmed: "It is necessary to deniggerize the black masses."

"In American society," says Edward Brown, a community worker in Mississippi, and a brother of the militant Negro leader Rap Brown, "honor and aggressiveness are recognized hallmarks of manhood; resistance to insult and indignity are regarded as finer qualities of manhood than turning the other cheek. You have a society which tells you what every man ought to be; then you—the Negro—are told that in order to exist you have to behave differently from what you are taught."

Rap Brown's appeal is that he sponsors violence. As Martin Luther King's star descends, Rap's rises. And so, out of all this frustration one gets two typical reactions: "We will fight and kill just like anybody else" and "Either you give it, or we'll make you give it."

"Life becomes so worthless that people get the feeling: 'If I die I can't do much worse; let's not play around. If it's going to come, let it come. But I am going to fight you out here in the sunlight in front of the whole world and not in any dark alleyway."

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There is another subtle and painful element within this struggle for black manhood; an assertiveness by Negro youths against the matriarchal structure into which their society has been forced by the system of slavery and their subsequent historical experience. Figures like these show what's been happening in the cities: 36 per cent of Negro children live in broken homes; one-quarter of Negro women are living apart from their husbands—30.2 per cent in New York; almost one-quarter of Negro births are illegitimate; only a minority of Negro children reach the age of 18 having lived all their lives with both parents. When the young black militant cries out his challenge "Tell me my name!" it's not only his ethnic identity that he's trying to establish.

Franz Fanon, the French-speaking West Indian psychiatrist and writer who died while helping the nationalist cause in Algeria, is the black militants' theorist on violence. He teaches that violence can be curative and creative for the oppressed soul and mind; moreover: "The practice of violence binds (the oppressed people) together as a whole, since each individual forms a violent link in the revolutionary chain, a part of the great orgasm of violence which has surged upwards in reaction to the settlers' violence in the beginning."

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The argument is that reality of greater white power in America can be altered by linking black power to that of China, Cuba, the revolutionary forces in Africa, Latin America and the Middle East. It is the argument of the black prophet W. E. B. Du Bois, of Malcolm X, of Fanon and of Che Guevara and Regis Debray. At the 1967 meeting of the Organization of the Latin American Society in Havana, Stokely Carmichael called for "the joining of hands with the oppressed peoples outside the United States which oppresses us on the inside and you on the outside."

This approach is illustrated by the novelist John A. Williams in a recent address to Colorado State University: "The American history of racism, it is my firm conviction, has brought us today to a confrontation with deadly possibilities, not with North Vietnam, but with China. The Chinese have got the Bomb; they have got the bomb, and that means that, for the first time in history, people who are not white are capable of administering almost as much death and destruction as white people. The balance no longer is. No white nation on this earth can claim to have been nice to the mainland Chinese; none. And now we may force them to seek redress of grievances."

The weakness of the arguments of those seeking to counter poise the "Third World" power against America is easily exposed. For example, at present "Third World" power has not been able to deal with the Smith rebellion in puny Rhodesia, let alone with the apartheid regime of South Africa; it has been unable to bring down a single government in mainland Latin America. But such arguments overlook the revolutionary dialectic: struggle—even a long one—is what matters, not the objective assessment of how, or when, success will come. "We view ourselves in a revolutionary perspective," says Rap Brown.

Black anger is of itself not revolutionary in origin, or in orientation; but the existence in America of a great sea of black anger increases the potentialities and risks of black violence and of revolutionary activities.

"The anger itself is not new," as is pointed out in the Southern Regional Council and American Jewish Committee's 1964-1966 survey. "Only the signs that the anger is closer to the surface, nearer to exploding, are new."

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The relevant question in this situation is not whether the black revolutionaries can succeed, but how badly American society—and the wider world—can be damaged in an encounter between a black mood of assuaging anger with violence and a white mood of retaliatory violence?

Three elements dominate the mood of black anger — alienation, nihilism and an aggressive self-assertion. Alienation finds expression in angry insistence on withdrawal from whits society and culture; in this mood it rejects integration.

The more worrying element in the mood of black anger is nihilism. "If we cannot get justice, we're going to tear this country apart," is a typical scream by Stokely Carmichael.

Says a Negro youth in a riot city: "I don't believe in nothin'. I feel like they ought to burn down the whole world. Just let it burn down, baby."

In his poem Nittygritty in the Negro Digest (August 1967), Joseph Bevans Bush hails the advent of "throat-cutting time":

We all gonna start thinking
In terms of total protection
And preparing ourselves for the
Third World; realizing that
We are "struggling with depraved
Eagles" who, having a horrible history
Of mass murder and inflicting pain,
Will stopp at nothing to destroy us.
All of this is to say: throat-
Cutting time is drawing nigh and
We all gonna be ready.

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At the back of the black mind—not only of the far-out militants—lurks a fear of genocide, that leads Negro militants to equate their position with that of the Jews, and that of white Americans to the Nazis.

Rap Brown asks Negroes to arm themselves against "a hunky white conspiracy of genocide." He accuses the U.S. of "escalating its wars against black people" and adds "If you play Nazis with us, we ain't gonna play Jews."

Frequent examples given of "active planning" for genocide are the higher proportion of Negroes to white soldiers killed in Vietnam; the higher death-rate of black than white babies; proposals for family planning.

It is astonishing how often in conversations, even with sober-minded, middle-class Negroes, one comes up against this fear of genocide. Even so calmly rational a man as Martin Luther King voices anxieties.

"Since racism is based on the dogma 'that the hope of civilization depends upon eliminating some races and keeping others pure,' he says "its ultimate logic is genocide. Hitler, in his mad and ruthless attempt to exterminite the Jews, carried the logic of racism to its ultimate tragic conclusions. While America has not literally sought to eliminate the Negro in this final sense, it has, through the system of segregation, substituted a subtle reduction of life by means of deprivation."

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Malcolm X, in his autobiography, produced an historical framework: "Our nation was born in genocide, when it embraced the doctrine that the original American, the Indian, was an inferior race. Our children are still taught to respect the violence which reduced a red-skinned people of an earlier culture into a few fragmented groups herded into impoverished reservations."

In his revealing series on "The Black Revolutionaries," written in September, 1967, Robert C. Maynard quotes a Watts black nationalist. "These so-called middle-class Negroes think they're going to escape. There ain't gonna be no escape when that man is ready with his ovens. You black, you burn. That's all."

"The lesson," says the Reverend Albert Cleage of Detroit, "is that all black men are a group. Either they make it as a group, or they don't make it at all. We are all in this sinking, stinking boat together."

(London Observer Service)

Even Ministers Don't Know What's Going On

Social Credit Keeps You Uninformed

CAPITAL REPORT

By IAN STREET

The longest-running amateur show in the annals of Canadian government began Aug. 1, 1952.

That, if anyone in the province doesn't already know, is the date Premier Bennett led his nervous little band of cabinet ministers up the driveway to form the first Socred government in B.C.

They were rank amateurs then — only Mr. Bennett and one other had even served as MLA prior to that — and now more than 15 years later things are not much changed.

Shamateurism would probably be a better word to describe the current attitude because the government has developed many of the so-called professional attributes of any long-lived administration.

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There is a certain remoteness from the public, a callousness towards human need which doesn't fit into the rigid framework of well-established government policy.

It could be argued these are the faults of any government which has grown more concerned with longevity than achievement.

But it is this overriding ambition to remain in office which makes the most amateurish area of government operations almost unbelieveable.

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This government, to be blunt, lacks any system of communication either internally between members of the cabinet or between individual ministers and the public. One minister admits: "How the heck it works, I don't know."

Mr. Bennett describes what others term a lack of communication as freedom for ministers to operate (within the blue lines of established policy and a tight purse, of course). He considers this is the secret of the government's success to date.

It's commonplace for other governments to be charged with news management, by briefing or planned leaks of information damaging to opponents or whatever, with all the unpleasant connotations of slanting and distortion of news that come to mind.

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There is also another kind of control which is frequently used by Mr. Bennett and some of his ministers. Call it news management by default or simply mismanagement of news.

The technique is simple. Make an important announcement, usually in the form of a cabinet order-in-council, supply no background information or explanation. When the stories come out, if the interpretation placed on the event is wrong there is a convenient whipping boy at hand.

There is always the Liberal and Conservative press to blame and sometimes even "politically-motivated" reporters.

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Take three cases which actually occurred during the past week. The first involves Premier Bennett's celebrated "I'll not be making my usual announcement" about civil service pay increases last Tuesday. He, of course, refused to elaborate and hugely enjoyed the unsuccessful efforts of reporters to learn what he meant.

At a guess, I would say he doesn't want to commit the government to the usual 5 per cent raise nearly three months ahead of budget day, but this doesn't mean he won't approve some kind of increase before then.

Politics is a game to Mr. Bennett and because he plays harder than anyone else he's premier. It's every man for himself, according to his rules, and woe betide any minister, political opponent or reporter who doesn't respect this position.

It becomes a dangerous policy, however, when this type of gamesmanship is applied to an issue like the recent one concerning the floating of a $15,000,000 bond issue for school construction.

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The premier, obviously anxious to claim credit for an anti-inflationary move, ordered his executive assistant W. C. Budd to speed the original order-in-council from Government House, where it was signed by the lieutenant-governor, to the press gallery.

Mr. Bennett wanted to get across to the public the fact that in these days of high interest rates his government wasn't going to the open market even to borrow money for essential school construction.

But nothing in the order said so, and reporters had to recall a vague remark to this effect made by the premier some days earlier, before guessing, correctly, the whole issue had been financed out of government pension funds.

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Much the same happened when Municipal Affairs Minister Campbell went off to a housing conference in Ottawa leaving behind an order establishing the B.C. Housing Management Commission. It left the commission's role secret and in the absence of the minister no one could explain.

I'm against elaborate releases because they're unnecessary. But surely a couple of paragraphs of explanation would help prevent a possible misunderstanding. When millions of dollars, and the lives and well-being of people are at stake, can this be left to chance?

Quotable Quotes!

Honestly, I dunno 'ow much money I've made.—Twiggy.

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We bishops, in our proper dress, originated the mini-skirt. But we allowed others to steal the thunder and make millions out of it.—Bishop Victor J. Pike.

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When people look back at the 20th century they'll think we were insane, if only for our flagrant misuse of television.—Pierre Berton.

If the only way I could earn a living was by writing for television or working in the post office, you'd find me behind a counter selling postage stamps.—Irving Shulman.

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TAXPAYERS

The Retired Federal Civil Servants and the Armed Forces and R.C.M.P. (all known as Federal Superannuates) wish to inform the public that:

1. The Government of Canada has rejected the appeal of Retired Federal Public Servants and their widows for an upward adjustment of Superannuates pensions.
2. The Superannuates' Pension Fund has accumulated more than TWO AND A HALF BILLIONS of dollars ($2,689,467,819.00—Auditor General's figures, Hansard, December, 1967).
3. Interest for year ending March, 1967, was $98,499,363.00. Total amount paid out for Superannuates' Pensions was $74,902,119.00, leaving a credit balance of 23½ million dollars, without touching the capital.
4. The inclusion of Superannuates' Pension in Mini Budget presentation implies that taxes would have to be increased to meet upward adjustments. This is NOT TRUE. There would be no call on the taxpayer as the above figures clearly indicate.

Inserted by Executive Committee of the Victoria Branch Federal Superannuates National Association.

'A Mouse Leaves The Ship'

Under the above heading, the London Daily Mirror printed its editorial comment on King Constantine's flight from Greece. The following are extracts from the Mirror's scathing criticism.

"In the past, kings in exile have been romantic figures. The people felt sorry for them. But there is no reason at all to be lachrymose about the plight of 27-year-old King Constantine of Greece . . .

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"A man of 27 should have said to the world—and the Greeks: 'I have sent the royal family to safety, but here I will stay with my people. Send me to prison, if you wish'."

"Instead, the handsome monarch, splendid in his uniforms, has not displayed one ounce of guts . . . the duty of King Constantine was perfectly clear. He should have risked his neck.

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"He should be in Greece today, like the hundreds of thousands of his compatriots who, because of their political or moral convictions, are prepared to spend Christmas behind bars—and risk their necks.

'The impartial observer must wonder whether the engines of his getaway plane to exile were being revved up before his revolver was loaded."

For Want of a Few Shekels . . .

No Room in Any Inn

CITY HALL COMMENT

By A. H. MURPHY

Whatever happens in the private hospital welfare issue it is most unlikely that patients are going to be put out on the street. That, as the city solicitor said when the matter was discussed Thursday at a meeting of city council, is "unthinkable."

When Glengarry and Glenhaven hospitals wrote to city council stating that they could no longer accommodate welfare patients at the provincial rate of $230 a month and that if more money could not be allowed, the city had better "make other arrangements," they were only expressing the feelings of most other private hospitals in town.

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It is generally admitted that $230 (paid by the provincial government through the city) is too little. These hospitals are, after all, "private" and no one expects them to remain in business if they don't make a profit. At $230, the operators say, they can not pay costs let alone make money.

Undoubtedly, some arrangements will be made.

But the most appalling aspect of the whole question is not the 200-odd welfare patients who are being subsidized but the 175 or more who need to be in hospital and are not because there just aren't any beds for them.

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Isn't it a nice thought that during this affluent, jolly and sacred Christmas season there are 175 indigent and mostly old and bedridden people who are in need of hospital care and who will not be looked after because there just isn't any room for them in any inn?

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And it's not a new situation. Ald. Lily Wilson has been pointing out this woeful lack of accommodation for our aged and ill and poor for years.

We all have listened and noted but it's an unpleasant subject, so we shrugged it off.

The city says the provincial government is to blame and, inasmuch as the province bears the cost of welfare, I suppose it does bear the major load of responsibility.

But when the suggestion was made in city council recently that the municipality supplement the provincial allowance of $230 with 30 shekels of its own, the plan was discouraged because it might set a precedent and "open a door which might not ever be closed."

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Whatever decision is made when the wise men from municipality and province meet to talk it over, will affect only the welfare people who now are in private hospitals. It will be an emergency measure to assure them of continued care.

But what about the other 175 who need hospital care and won't get it because there are no beds for them — no beds anywhere?

This, it seems to me, is a matter for all our consciences.

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Students Demand Their Say

A LOOK AT LEARNING

By BILL STAVDAL

"Participation" is the rallying cry of university students campaigning for entry to the academic halls of power across Canada these days.

The cry was raised again last week at the University of Victoria, where student council president David McLean renewed a long-standing request for student representation on the senate.

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The senate pigeon-holed the request on a technicality, but student senators are practically a certainty before long. The consensus among the national university establishment is that increasing student participation in campus affairs is both desirable and inevitable.

Earlier this year Simon Fraser University became the first campus in Canada to admit students to the senate. Since then UBC has followed suit and nine other universities have either done the same thing or announced they will.

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However, the fun is only beginning.

Student power is the aim of a good number of young social theorists who loosely lead the Canadian student movement. Hugh Armstrong of Ottawa, president of the Canadian Union of Students, said in Vancouver recently that universities should be run by students and faculty members.

"Faculty and students should be the masters," said the 24-year-old Mr. Armstrong, who speaks (at least nominally) for 120,000 students on 39 Canadian campuses.

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Mr. Armstrong and others argue that universities now are run by the business community as trade schools to supply executive and technical talent.

It might be suggested that allowing a few students on the senate is a good way of pacifying the kids. But early indications are that they aren't going to be digested and absorbed by the system. In November four UBC students joined the senate and immediately moved that the body open its meetings to students. The motion was pushed off into a committee but the issue isn't going to end there.

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You have to read the statements of student activists to get an idea of what they want and how they aim to get it. A clear declaration was made in Toronto in October by Sharon Yandle, one of three Simon Fraser student senators.

She spoke before a national conference on university government sponsored by the University of Toronto which drew university governors, administrators and senior faculty.

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Miss Yandle's thesis was that it has been students' social consciousness — the desire to right the wrongs of the world — which led inevitably to the struggle for student power on campus.

Students, she said, "discovered that they were members of a major social institution in which they had no meaningful — or any other kind of — control.

"They learned that in the university as in society, the slogan might well be: 'Change is desirable as long as it doesn't change anything.' "

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Miss Yandle continued with a discussion of student power.

"Student power does not mean that students want to run the university and everything and everyone in it. Nobody ought to think that. Students recognize that an administration is an essential component of the university. It provides continuity."

Miss Yandle conceded that "some sort of board of governors of some sort of composition" is necessary to make long-term plans, and said students do not wish to usurp its function.

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"But students know that they themselves function in an institution which totally dominates them," she added. "They want to know how and why.

"They want to know why they are often forced to learn things utterly irrelevant to them and to their society," she said, and made the claim that certain topics are taboo for discussion at university.

She summarized:

"This is what student power is: the demand — it is no longer a request — for some participation in and some control over the university."

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At UVic the student voice isn't quite that strident yet, though another's year's stalling could change things.

My own opinion is that senior students should have a voice on the senate and numerous committees. (They are on some committees now.) Even freshmen deserve a hearing, though it seems silly that a first-year student's vote should weigh as much as a fourth-year student's.

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As for students in administration, the problems facing universities today are nightmarish enough to professional administrators. The prestige of a university president's job is proportional only to its difficulty.

I wonder how many students will have the time or talent for real participation in university government?

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Miracles Cost Big Money —Accounting Due Public

By JOHN MATTERS

The baby, premature and only two or three days old, is struggling for life in the new environment of his isolette.

His nostrils are flared, his breathing is rapid and the sudden changes in his body temperature are worrying doctors and nurses.

However, drugs which have been injected into his little body and the equipment which is standing by just in case he has more difficulty give him chances for survival which no other baby in his condition has had.

DEPRESSION FIRST

Down the hallway, a 73-year-old woman is just starting to open her eyes after an operation. She has had her tongue removed for malignancy. In three or four hours, she will become acutely depressed.

However, she, too, never had a better chance to survive than she does in 1967.

Greater Victoria's hospitals this year more than ever became places for hope and life, rather than death.

FOLKLORE

Before 1967 is over, about 30,000 people in this area will have been in hospital for almost every manner of disease or injury which could befall the human body.

The folklore of our society tends to describe some of the achievements in today's hospitals as "medical miracles." If they are "miracles," we have got them only at a price.

$10,000,000

The price this year will be about $10,000,000, between Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's Hospitals alone.

That is the amount of taxpayers' money which was needed for the day-to-day operation of those hospitals. Other funds were required for new equipment and renovations.

As the waiting lists grow longer, as the hospitals and the doctors search desperately for ways of finding money for new equipment, citizens of Greater Victoria this spring will be hearing even more urgent and discomforting news.

HEAVY OUTLAY

The word probably will be that they will have to spend about $40,000,000 in the next five years on new hospital facilities and in the next year alone face a 15 or 20 per cent increase in hospital operating costs.

The report by Agnew, Peckham and Associates, hospital planning consultants, is going to tell the people of this area not only how many new hospital beds they'll need for the acutely ill, but also what will have to be done in medical education and in the provision of more chronic and rehabilitative care centres.

NOT CERTAIN YET

It could suggest a new acute care hospital near Elk Lake, to take care of the Saanich Peninsula's growing population, but no one can be certain of this until the report is produced sometime in March or April.

The money will be raised on a regional basis, by a regional hospital board — which is one of the most sensible things which happened in hospital financing in 1967.

When the money is needed, the municipalities will collect it from their taxpayers via the annual tax bills.

SAME POCKETS

The mechanism sounds good, but what about the money? Unfortunately, it will be coming out of the pockets of people whose tax dollars are badly needed for schools, sewers, parks and the usual public works projects of a municipality.

The coming year will be one in which municipal councils will have to think carefully about how they spend the people's money.

UNCONGRUOUS

It seems incongruous to be paying for new municipal halls, firehalls and recreation centres when parts of our hospitals are being described as firetraps and other wards are in 60 and 70-year-old buildings.

At the same time, the hospitals will be mistaken if they think they can put their hands in the people's pockets for millions of dollars without having to answer some questions.

One of these days, they will have to stop operating as if they were private clubs. Their boards must discuss their business in the open, otherwise the public is entitled to wonder: What are they hiding?

And their board members should be elected on the same basis as school trustees. The appointees who now make up our hospital boards do not truly represent the people whose money they spend.

The people of Greater Victoria ought to make it clear to their hospitals it is time that proven democratic mechanisms were implemented.

One of the most challenging re-evaluations which has been going on in medicine this year has been in the field of nursing, a profession that has become increasingly frustrating.

Unfortunately, it has become much more easy to identify and recognize the expertise of the skilled operating room nurse than it is of the nurse working with an emotionally upset patient.

It is difficult to evaluate work loads in terms of the number of patients who are crying and upset, or in terms of helping a patient accept the fact of disfiguring plastic surgery.

SYSTEM GOING?

The glorification of technicians who have become astronauts is a process which has a corollary in nursing. The image of Florence Nightingale attending the sick in tents cannot always be applied to the nurse in 1967 medicine.

Those are conditions which next year will probably see the old, three-year apprenticeship system of nurses' training come to an end. The nurse of the future will be the product of a two-year academically-oriented program.

TIME TO THINK

Nursing administrators point out, however, that the student won't be locked in a classroom for two years and will still be spending some time in the wards developing the analytic and reflective attitudes she will need later.

The two-year program would give her time to think about as well as practise what she has been taught.

Because they will have less work time on the wards, students will have to pay tuition, giving them the same financial headaches as their counterparts in universities.

CHEQUES LAGGED

Nurses have also been stirring in another direction. They are asking for a 50-per-cent increase in salaries next year, citing how their pay cheques have lagged in comparision with those for other jobs.

Their leaders in Victoria, however, recently decided they would not talk publicly about the salary demands they have given to the hospitals. They say too much has already been said about the money they want.

Save the Children!

United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund held fund-raising gala in Paris Friday night. Lady named Elizabeth Taylor appeared in mini feather dress while introducing husband Richard Burton in theatre where affair was held. What more need be said?—(AP)

Pilots Attack Air Safety

CHICAGO (UPI) — The Air Line Pilots Association has accused the U.S. Federal Aviation Agency of failing "to provide sufficient safety for the travelling public" in approving operation of the Twin-Jet Boeing 737 airliners with a minimum crew of two pilots.

Harbour Light Entertains

This week before Christmas will be a busy one at the Salvation Army Harbour Light alcoholic rehabilitation centre. Each evening at 8 p.m. music and movies will be supplied by various church groups. The public is invited to attend the programs.

Still on Payroll

TAIPEI (Reuters) — A policeman last seen 18 years ago, when he boarded a fishing boat to investigate smuggling, is still on the government payroll because of his wife's repeated objections to attempts to declare him legally dead, Formosa press reports say.

Rockwell Murder

Former Nazi Found Guilty

ARLINGTON, Va., (AP) — John Patler, 29, former member of the American Nazi party, was convicted Saturday of first-degree murder in the ambush slaying of George Lincoln Rockwell, the party's leader.

An Arlington County Circuit Court jury which convicted Patler in the Aug. 25 shooting of Rockwell, spared him the death sentence and recommended a 20-year prison term.

Rockwell, 49, leader of the anti-Negro, anti - Jewish Nazi-type group, was killed while getting into his car at an Arlington shopping centre where he had gone to wash clothes in a coin-operated laundry.

FROM ROOF

Police said his assassin fired from the roof of a nearby building, using a German pistol. Patler was arrested 30 minutes later a mile away.

Patler, pale and drawn, seemed stunned by the verdict, which his attorneys will seek to have set aside.

Circuit Court Judge Charles S. Russell continued the case until Monday without formally imposing the jury's sentence.

Except for his father-in-law, Sam R. Erbin, none of Patler's family was in the heavily guarded courtroom when the verdict was read.

Hours earlier his wife, Alice, 23, had collapsed when Commonwealth Attorney William J. Hassan had demanded the death sentence.

Patler was a captain in the American Nazi party at one time but was expelled from the hate group after differing with Rockwell on policy. The jury heard testimony by one party member that Patler had said several times that "Rockwell is an evil genius and must be stopped."

Tea Party Turns On France

BOSTON (AP) — The 194th anniversary of the Boston Tea Party was observed on the deck of an old sailing ship Saturday, but this time French francs were thrown overboard with two chests of tea.

"We're still a little bit sore at the British," said Robert C. Hagopian, an organizer of the commemoration ceremony, "but we're really steamed up about General de Gaulle and his ingratitude to the United States."

Hagopian, an official of the Disabled American Veterans said only a "few American dollars" worth of francs were used.

Road Death Record Set by Vancouver

VANCOUVER (CP) — A 19-year-old West Vancouver youth Friday became Vancouver's 54th traffic death of the year, an all-time high for the city. Paul Martineau was killed in a two-car collision on the Stanley Park causeway.

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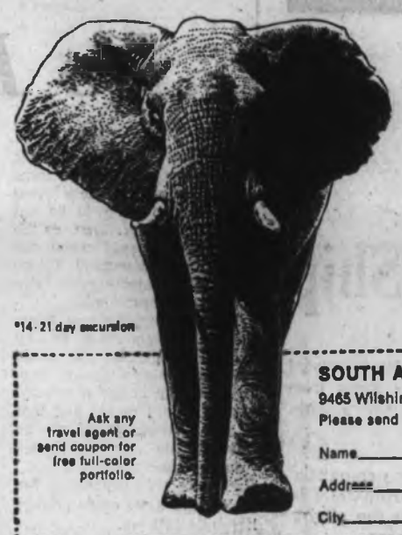

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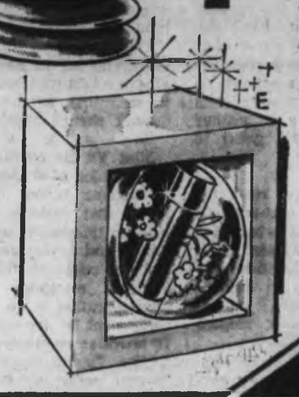

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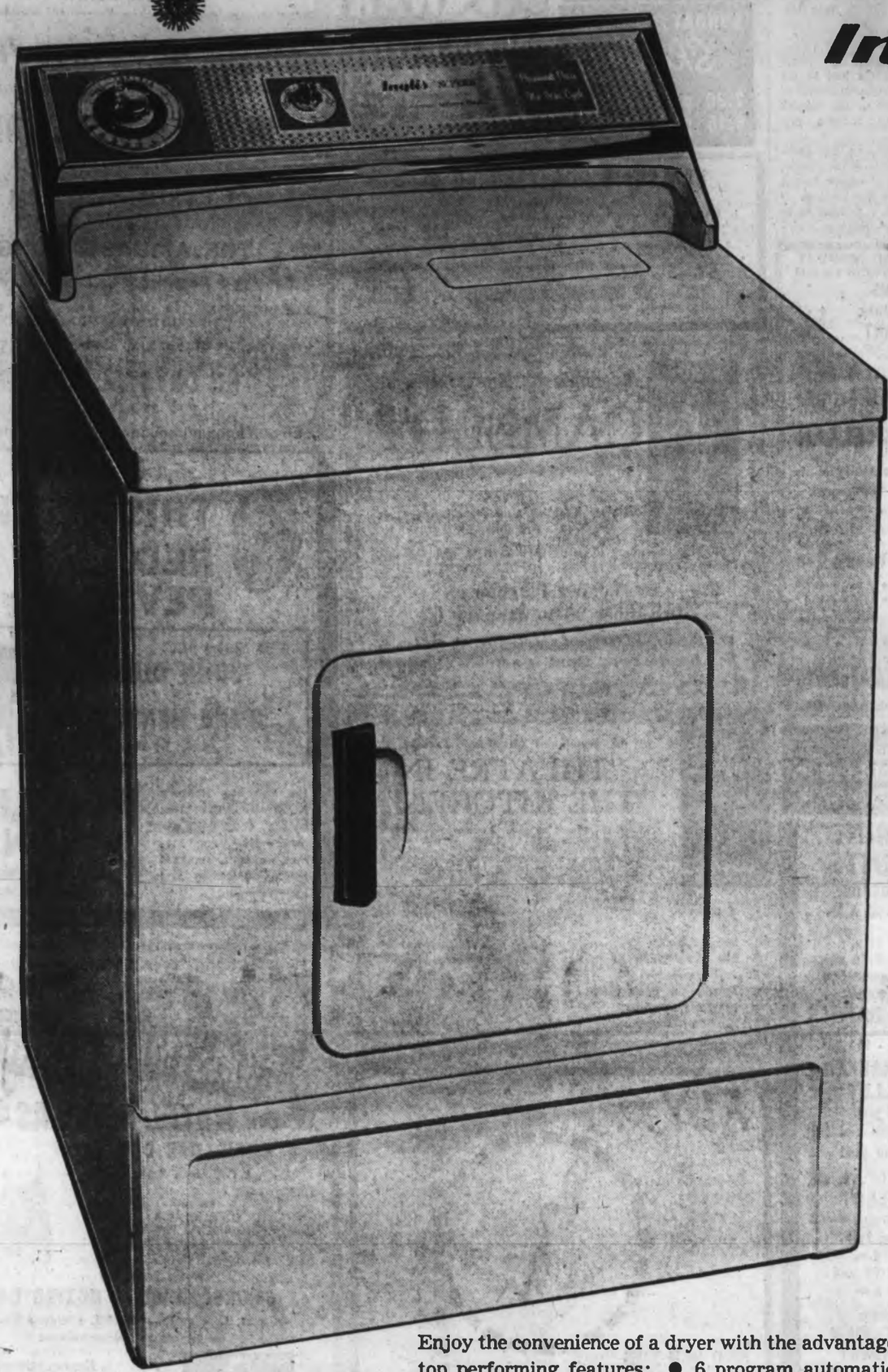

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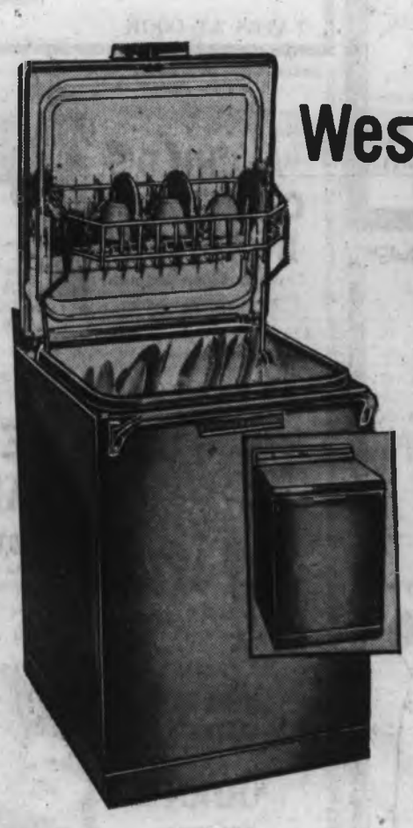

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BACKSTAGE

with

Patrick O'Neill

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Look out, Victoria, Chris Crawley says he's trying to turn you on!

The young promoter of Victoria's new pop club, Nine in the Fifth Place, on Government Street, is enthusiastic about response to the first few weekends of operation.

★ ★ ★

The turning-on process began when Crawley opened the club's doors.

His new step was to take this quiet town and plug it into the jumping pop music circuit that includes Vancouver, Seattle, Edmonton and Calgary.

Now he's going after even bigger fires to light.

He will try to grab the Jefferson Airplane, or a group of similar stature, for a Victoria appearance in late January.

In the meantime, the circuit is bringing such weird and wonderful-sounding groups as Sad Jack, Wild Flower and Pappa Bear's Medicine Show to Victoria.

Pappa Bear played Friday and Saturday to dancing crowds, and will be back Wednesday to do a special benefit.

Money will go to the Colonist 500 Fund, and Chris said, "we'll serve free coffee."

★ ★ ★

The Youngbloods are travelling on the west coast, and one of the groups working with them is the oldest San Francisco psychedelic outfit, the three-year-old Wild Flower.

Wild Flower will show its petals here Dec. 29 and Dec. 30, with Pappa Bear doing the all-night New Year's Eve show.

This coming weekend, the Coastmen from Vancouver will entertain Crawley's crowd.

★ ★ ★

Another aspect of the circuit is polishing of Victoria bands. Already the Fast Flying Vestibule has lined up a good date in Vancouver, and more will come for these talented musicians.

Pigling Bland, a jug band formed by Valdy, is polishing its work at Crawley's club.

Sad Jack, a gentle Seattle Rock group, will be here Jan. 18 and 19.

★ ★ ★

Crawley said the only disappointment he has had so far is the apparent insensitivity of local audences to the shades of calibre in today's pop groups.

He said that, as the audiences hear more of the music, they will find it easier to tell the good from the blaring.

For audiences to tune in to the work of modern pop musicians, they should know how the musicians approach the audience.

A good starting point would be the viewpoint attributed to Marty Balin, leader of the Jefferson Airplane.

He said the musicians do not consider themselves entertainers.

In fact, he said, "we're lovers, the stage is our bed, the audience is our woman . . ." and you take it from there.

Price Pique

Proud Painter Pilfers Picture

CHICAGO (UPI) — Police have probed the depths of artistic temperament and come up with a solution to the case of the purloined painting.

They also locked up the source of the temperament, artist Lawrence Kledzik, 22.

Kledzik, they said, had so high an opinion of his own work that he pilfered a painting which was priced higher than one of his at an art gallery.

LOW PRICE

Detective Sam Louis said Kledzik became miffed when he visited the Joel Hirsch Art Gallery.

There was Kledzik's portrait of a man selling for a measly $100 and there, hanging nearby, was a seascape by the well-known painter, Ivan Albright, going for $30,000.

This, Kledzik announced, was ridiculous. He withdrew his painting from sale and then went off with a friend, writer John Fors, 23, to brood about it in a neighborhood tavern.

Louis said the brooding became progressively more intense as the evening lengthened, until it reached the point where Kledzik and Fors resolved to take direct action.

BROKE GLASS

The detective said they went to the closed gallery, kicked in a glass panel in the front door, went inside and removed the Albright painting.

Another friend, William Wertz, said Kledzik showed up at his home some time after midnight and asked him to keep a painting for him. Since Kledzik is a painter, and painters are reputed to be temperamental sorts, Wertz saw nothing odd in the request.

Louis and his partner, Harry Cammholz, got on Kledzik's trail the day after they learned of the tiff. They found the artist and Fors and charged them with burglary.

Nevertheless, Louis felt a pang of sympathy for the imprisoned painter.

"That picture of his was very good," he said. "If I had to pay for either painting I'd take Kledzik's. It was much better than the one he took."

Theatre Given Bigger Grant

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Playhouse Theatre has been awarded a $95,000 grant by the Canada Council, nearly 50 per cent more than last year. Part of the cash will be used to stage four new Canadian plays, as yet unproduced.

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Actress of Many Faces

At first glance, the face looks a bit like a Roman from Shakespeare; at second, a slight resemblance to Chopin or some other 19th-century consumptive genius. The truth is the face belongs to Julie Andrews in the title role of her new movie, Thoroughly Modern Millie. The modern look at the Roaring 20s also stars Carol Channing, Mary Tyler Moore and Bea Lillie and starts Friday at Victoria's Haida Theatre.

City Ballet Prodigy:

Imagine Getting Money To Do What You Love

By ERITH M. SMITH

Jane Bellis of Duncan and Victoria is convinced she's the luckiest of girls: "Imagine being paid to do something you love so much!"

Jane is a former Wynne Shaw dancer who in July, 1966, went to the summer school of Les Grands Ballets Canadien, for which she had been given a scholarship.

On Sept. 16 of the same year she became a full-fledged member of that company — and still is.

BETTER TIME

She feels she could not have joined the company at a better time. The same year Fernand Nault became the Grand Ballets' artistic director and chief choreographer, and "he's just wonderful."

Jane is full of praise of his choreography, and of his ability as a teacher. She has felt the over-all improvement in the company ever since, and clippings she has saved from critics across the United States where the company had danced would seem to bear this out.

In her first autumn with Grand Ballets they toured the northern U.S., then Canada's Maritime provinces.

FEW PLACES

"That was quite an experience," she recalls. "Very few places had proper facilities, and we danced often in hockey rinks and cold auditoriums. But the enjoyment of the audiences, especially the children, made it all worth while.

"Many of the little girls had never seen ballet, and they'd stand outside our dressing rooms waiting just to touch our costumes as we went by. You'd think they were in fairyland."

Last summer, of course, was Expo summer, and the company put on a 10-day performance and a number of brief appearances at the world fair.

U.S. TOURED

In the fall just past, they toured the U.S. again — this time visiting 30 cities from Chicago, Fort Wayne and Pittsburgh to Tallahassee and Pensacola in Florida, New Orleans, and Houston and Austin in Texas.

Back in Montreal, their final appearances were a series of performances of The Nutcracker for children in and around Montreal.

Now Jane is visiting her parents in Duncan and friends and former studio in Victoria before returning to Montreal — which she loves — for more work aimed at a busy future.

IN JANUARY

In January the company will be visited by choreographers with ideas they hope can be used, and will rehearse for a major February performance at Place des Artes.

The balance of 1968 is still uncertain, but very much in the company's mind is a European tour scheduled for the spring of 1969. Feature of that will be a ballet with which Les Grands Ballets has scored wide success this year: Fernand Nault's production of Carmina Burana.

In addition to the dance company, totalling 42, this full-length ballet uses a chorus of 30, especially recruited in Montreal, and which will likely join them for the European tour.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bellis, now teachers in Duncan, Jane was born in Prince Albert, Sask. During and after the war her father was with the RCAF and travelled extensively.

She started dancing in Ottawa when 11, and "decided right then" that this was what she wanted to do and be. After four years the family moved to Norfolk, Va., and three years later home to Vancouver Island, where Jane worked for three years with Wynne Shaw before starting the professional career she loves.

—William John

Jane surveys favorite city

★ ★ ★

Genuine Reproductions Threaten Real Thing

TORONTO (CP) — Canadian gift shops have been swamped by fake Eskimo sculptures mass-produced by at least five manufacturers, George Elliott, chairman of the Canadian Eskimo Art Council, said Friday.

Elliott said some of the fakes bear the label "genuine reproduction." Genuine Eskimo pieces are identified by a white igloo label with the artist's name and village.

The council is concerned because sale of the fakes undermines tourist confidence in Canada's primitive art forms, and also might cut into the revenue Canada's Eskimo artists receive for their work.

The council is investigating whether legal action can be taken to prevent the pirating.

Symphony Selects Program by IBM

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (UPI) — The St. Louis Symphony, noted for musical brainwaves, may top all past innovations Jan. 7 when the program will be selected through IBM cards. The audience will note their choices on the cards, which will be turned in moments before the baton is raised.

Another Welsh Christmas

A Relative Mob And Dark Rum

William Thomas

ON MUSIC

I think I must have listened to Dylan Thomas recall his Child's Christmas in Wales until parts of it have become so familiar I have forgotten them.

Yet each time I listen, the images of Dylan's plum pudding memories stir my own recollections of those early years of the war and the tinselled impressions of another child's Christmas in Wales.

★ ★ ★

A week ago I played the record of Dylan's reading at the insistence of Jack Patrick, who runs the Record Gallery, and also to try to answer the question of my own brood: "What was it like when you were a little boy?"

Most of all my Christmases in Wales were jammed with relatives. If there were any people in Caernarvon who were not related to me then I was never made aware of it. We lived in a small row house on a street that bore the imposing name of Segontium Terrace — a name left over from the Roman occupation.

★ ★ ★

My brother and I were cared for by our great-grandmother and grandmother and we were convinced these two old ladies were in fact casualties of the Roman occupation of North Wales — disappointed war brides from Caesar's legions who had never been sent the fare to join their spouses in Rome.

Dylan writes of his aunts and uncles cluttering the household. There was one uncle of mine named James — I never did know his second name — he was a retired sea captain. At Christmas time he swung his way down the steps to a basement kitchen and drank dark rum.

★ ★ ★

He never drank alone but with a singing chattering bunch of old pipe-smelling men who recalled their days in sail.

One Christmas Uncle James gave me a gold watch that his seasonal glow had induced him to part with. I can still see the shocked expression on the faces of both grandmothers when I handed it back to them in a thousand parts and asked if they could help put it back together.

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As a safety precaution we were not allowed outside on Christmas day. The farthest essay from the house was a visit to the other identical houses on either side of No. 5. They were also pebble dashed and decorated in red and green crepe paper.

After a showing of our own special toy, torn from its wrapping by the gaslight, we were stuffed with mince pie and sent home for more stuffing.

★ ★ ★

While our elders got into the sherry as soon as chapel was over, we played.

The battlefield of our games was as fluid as the real war that surrounded us. One morning just before Christmas there were the vapor trails in the sky out over the sea that we knew meant a fight. After the swirls had been traced for a few minutes the white turned to gray and then black and we knew someone had lost. It would no doubt be on the Welsh news at 5 p.m.

★ ★ ★

Our own battle moved from the kitchen table where the goose was being anointed into the sanctity of the front parlor. It was decided early no battles would be allowed in the parlor but tops were permitted.

Dylan says he was allowed out to snowball the cats but we had no cat and were just a bit younger so we were content to toss bits of bread left over from the stuffing to a seagull that visited our yard.

★ ★ ★

The man next door, John Hughes, had no children but loved to make toys. He built us a weathervane with a bright red combed cock and a sailing ship cut from sheet metal. He slithered up onto the roof to fix this for us and Tim and I just sat on his ladder helping.

He climbed down carefully and then looked up. The thing did not spin in the wind so up he went again holding an oil can in his teeth. After a few squirts it moved. John Hughes was satisfied and so were Tim and I. The seagull grew quite suspicious and it was nearly New Year before he came back.

★ ★ ★

We lived in an age of sets. Probably the most popular, as Dylan recalls, were bus conductor outfits. You got a cap, that was always too small, a supply of tickets and a tin machine that had a small bell to sound when you punched the tickets.

Policeman sets were also popular but did not have a hat. They came with a notebook, black naturally, a pair of tin handcuffs that stuck on Tim for half an hour while he screamed and an aunt glowing with sherry tried to pry them off. They fell off in the end but there was quite a commotion for a spell.

Naturally the policeman's set had a whistle that was discreetly "lost" within minutes of its being pulled from the card. Bus conductors were preferable to policemen at Segontium Terrace.

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Dinner was a problem in logistics . . . who to seat and where and then what to do with the rest. We children sat at a small table and munched on goose and then pudding, feeling devilish because we were allowed to have real rum sauce.

After dinner the sweets were passed and out came our cigars and large pocket watches. These chocolate confections were filled with a violent pink-hued cream. The cloying taste lasted for hours even after a drenching with ginger wine, non-alcoholic.

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When the big meal was over we slept. A brace of aunts cleared away the dishes but we flaked out.

Later in the evening the rest of the family who seemed to teem into the house like mice, drank tea by candlelight in the parlor and nibbled mince pies. There was only candlelight in the parlor. For some reason it had not been wired electrically like the rest of the main floor and it had been denied the gas lights that lit the lower floor. The sputtering was quite romantic but thoroughly impractical.

The adults sang carols in Welsh and chattered until we were shuttled out of the room to bed. It was all over so quickly.

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I am glad I listened again to Dylan Thomas and his Child's Christmas in Wales. It was quite like our own but I wonder if older boys had more fun.

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U.S.-Slanted Cash May Hurt Canada

By HARRY YOUNG
Business Editor

If there are awards being given out to those who have done most in 1967 to assist the Canadian economy, few will go to the investment industry, or at least that part of it which has Americanized both itself and its clients.

Throughout the year there has been an increasing swing by many investment firms to place Canadian funds in U.S. stocks.

Several firms have bought themselves seats on various U.S. stock exchanges and it is expected in the near future to hear that the first Canadian firm has been admitted into the New York Stock Exchange.

Action Scene

One investment counselling firm in Toronto has carried the ball a little further. In a recent circular it stated that Canadians might as well face up to the fact that if they want action, they must go to where the action is.

And, it says when that means stock action, it means New York.

The firm also points out that there is a danger of devaluation of the Canadian dollar, and that in such circumstances the investing of Canadian funds in U.S. securities is another bull feature.

"There are no fast rising stocks in Canada to compare with those on New York," said one local broker recently.

'Best Job'

"My purpose here is to make money for my clients and so long as I can legally sell them U.S. securities I believe I am doing the best job I can for them by placing their money in the U.S."

The same attitude is taken by a number of Canadian mutual funds. They have increased the U.S. content of their funds, often to the stage that they hold as much U.S. as they do Canadian.

"If we do not do this, we are not able to compete with those who do, and our sales drop" said a spokesman for one mutual fund, heavily Americanized.

"It is a question of the growth performance which keeps us in business."

Money Danger

To the objection that they are doing considerable harm to the country's economy by withdrawing capital from Canadian to the U.S., the pro-American members of the investment industry refuse to agree.

"What we are really doing is to make more money for our Canadian customers," said another broker. "If we buy $10,000 of U.S. securities and later sell it for $20,000, we are in effect bringing $10,000 U.S. money into Canada. Surely that is not against Canada's interest?"

But what would happen if the U.S. market turned down? he was asked.

"There is no sign of that happening," he replied.

Cold Facts

Be that as it may, the cold facts remain that, so long as a large percentage of Canadian investment capital is being channelled away into the U.S., the Canadian stock market is suffering. It removes the bids on Canadian stocks and makes for more sellers than buyers.

Everyone who follows the stock market knows that stocks only go up when there are more buyers than sellers, and our Americanized investment firms are creating an artificial deterioriation of Canadian stock prices.

This has been a very good year for many Canadian investors who have stayed with Canadian stocks.

I have only to mention a few to show that, for those who have invested wisely, the results have been excellent. (See table).

They don't look like a stock market that offers no opportunity!

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Home Stock Profits

INDUSTRIALS	LAST DEC.	NOW
Anthes Imperial	21	28
FPE-Pioneer	17	28
Jefferson	25	52
Thomson	19	40
Oshawa	12½	29
Versafood	3½	12½
Western Broadcasting	7	17
MINES	**LAST DEC.**	**NOW**
International Nickel	95	126
Denison	56	79
Granisle	5½	12½
Granduc	3¾	6½
Rio Algom	24	33
Cons Marbenor	2.20	5.10
Utica	1.60	4.75
OILS	**LAST DEC.**	**NOW**
Central Del Rio	13	22½
Dome Petroleum	36	54
Fargo	2¾	7½
Great Plains	11½	21½
Hudson's Bay Oil	24½	45
Scurry Rainbow	20	49¼
Union Oil	33¼	57

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From Every Angle

Booze News —We Lose

By HARRY YOUNG

Because few people are willing to come out into the open to defend the liquor business, the recent price increase imposed by the B.C. Liquor Control Board have passed with comparatively light criticism.

However, the fact remains, the 10 per cent extra on the excise tax imposed in the national economic interest by the federal government last month added only about 15 cents to the average bottle of hard stuff.

The federal government also took its 12 per cent sales tax on the new price (manufacturer's selling price plus the higher excise tax), and this maybe added another three cents to the wholesale price of liquor.

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So while the federal government is extracting nearly 20 cents a bottle in extra tax out of the beverage industry, the B.C. board has added on about 15 cents a bottle for itself.

In Canada, the only retailers are the provincial governments, through their liquor control boards, and the treatment has not been uniform.

In Quebec, where liquor is generally cheaper, the provincial markup has been 10 per cent over and above the federal increase. In Saskatchewan, the increases have been only slightly below the B.C. level.

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Premier Bennett, who does not drink, takes the attitude that raising the price of liquor is no bad thing. He hopes higher prices will create less drinking and improve the health of the consumer.

At the same time he rather anomalously believes the higher profits his government makes from the higher markup will help pay for the "drying out" establishments in the hospitals and other clinics, and will also help defray some of the costs of welfare.

It is easy to pick holes in either side of the argument, and because the wets and the dries are probably about equally divided the raising of drink prices is not necessarily political suicide.

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The one disturbing feature of government precedent in passing on not only tax increases, but also markup on overall liquor costs, is that it gives other industries and businesses an excuse to adopt similar measures. It is this pyramiding of prices which is one of the chief allies of the inflation that governments now are trying to quench.

If high prices can drive people out of debauchery and other evils connected with the abuse of alcohol inflation in the grog shops might be justified, but it doesn't seem to work that way.

The people who can give up drink most easily are the gentle and social tipplers, and they are not the problem. The hard drinkers unhappily will get their requirements by fair means or foul.

Harry Young's Business Topics

Arctic Search Questioned

The amount of money which the federal government is investing in a new search for minerals in the Canadian Arctic Islands has drawn some unfavorable comment as being unjustified at a time when government spending has to be controlled.

Involved is the sum of $9,000,000 of taxpayers' money, which is not in the shape of a loan but a direct investment in the exploratory program.

The remaining $12,000,000 is being put up by a consortium of mining and oil companies, of which about 60 per cent are Canadian owned.

GAMBLE

The proposal, as has been outlined in these columns recently, is to learn something more about the Arctic Islands underneath their capping of snow and ice.

It is a gamble for several reasons, the principal two of which are the doubt that any discoveries of note will be made, and the inaccessibility of the islands from the potential markets for their products.

The oil and mining explorers have in the past been turned down twice by the government, but each time they have come back with a new proposal, and this third time, the sum sought has been reduced, and the number and quality of companies taking part has been upgraded.

NOT EXCESSIVE

In view of the tremendous outlays made by government to open up and maintain other areas of the north, the investment made in this case does not seem either excessive or unwise.

The great improvements in technical skills in dealing with the Arctic conditions, both on sea and on land, have made most parts of the globe now open to exploitation.

The islands are vast in acreage, and unless Canada makes some effort to utilize them, it is clear that other countries with fewer sources of raw material will be casting envious eyes upon them.

DEFENSIVE STEP

Thus an exploration program with government backing must be regarded as a defensive as well as a progressive step.

The Panarctic group, which is spearheading the program, is about equally divided between mining and oil companies. This indicates other minerals apart from oil and gas are regarded as potential finds.

The first stages of the exploration will be on Melville Island within 20 degrees of the North Pole where there have been indications of an oil or gas field.

INITIAL INCENTIVE

If successful discoveries are made here, it must be clearly obvious that companies will not need further government encouragement to seek exploration rights without subsidy.

The $9,000,000 government investment may therefore be classed more as an initial incentive in a very tough region, rather than a gamble that it will eventually get its money back eventually through royalties.

On the other hand it could be opening the door to a new treasure trove that will be of the utmost economic value to Canadians for centuries to come.

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OPENING IN VICTORIA

Most of Canada's leading investment house have offices in Victoria and the list was made a little more complete when it was announced last week that Doherty Roadhouse, McCuaig Brothers of Toronto and Montreal, would move into the district at the New Year.

Doherty has the reputation of doing as big a percentage of the business on the Toronto Stock Exchange as Merrill Lynch et al. does on the New York Exchange.

SINCE 1926

It was founded in 1926 by Hon. W. Manning Doherty and Tom Roadhouse and in 1962 it amalgamated with McCuaig Brothers of Montreal, a firm founded in 1898. The senior partner in the first is Darcy Doherty, a son of the founder.

This well-known house, which does a widely diversified business in stocks and bonds, comes into Victoria on the acquisition of the old established Yorkshire Securities, and will operate with the Yorkshire staff and in the old Yorkshire building on Fort Street.

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DIESEL ORDER

The construction of 44 diesel locomotives, the largest ever made by the company, is reported by Montreal Locomotive Works in its statement of accounts for the first nine months of 1967.

Two of the big diesels are completed, while 12 out of an order of 32 diesel electric locomotives for the Indian Railways were shipped during the third quarter.

The company's turbo train project is behind schedule, owing to delays not attributable to MLW, but the first of the four trains is expected to be delivered later in the year to United Aircraft of Canada for testing.

TWO CITIES

The turbo trains are due to be placed on the Montreal-Toronto service and are scheduled to travel at over 100 miles an hour, cutting the travel time between the two cities to about three hours.

MLW net earnings for the nine months were $770,000 (96 cents), against $663,000 (83 cents) a year ago, and for the third quarter $300,000 (37 cents), against $133,000 (17 cents) in the corresponding quarter of 1966.

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BEAVER SPLITTING

Beaver Lumber Co. Ltd., a national retailer of lumber and building products, has plans to split its stock four-for-one, and at the same time has announced an increase of 10 cents to 50 cents in its quarterly dividend rate.

A 60-year-old company, headquartered in Winnipeg, it has long had a member of the Victoria legal family of Harman on its board. Bob Harman, elected to the board last summer, took the place of his father Howard Harman.

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POWER TO BLAME

Great Canadian Oil Sands, which opened its Fort McMurray Athabaska oil sands refinery last September, has not yet been able to produce at more than half its capacity of about 45,000 barrels of oil a day.

Difficulties with the power system at the plant were said by president C. H. Taylor to be the cause of the trouble. He expected it would be several weeks before the plant would operate at capacity.

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THREE LOANS

Three new loans are reported by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Tanzania gets $5,200,000 for financing electric generating plants by Tanganyika Electric Supply Co. Ltd.; El. Salvador gets $2,800,000 for a road building program, and Ceylon's Development Finance Corporation gets $4,000,000 for private enterprises in that country.

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MERGER FORESEEN

A share-for-share merger plan between Homestake Mining Co. of Spokane and Bunker Hill Co. of Kellogg, Idaho, is in the discussion stage.

Officers of the companies have met on the subject, following an attempt by Gulf Resources and Chemical Corp. of Houston, Texas, to purchase 700,000 shares of Bunker Hill at $56 a share. This is equal to 46 per cent of Bunker Hill's outstanding 1,500,000 shares.

Homestake is the largest gold producer in the U.S. It has 2,500,000 shares and trades about $60 on the New York stock exchange. Bunker Hill shares recently topped $55. It is a base-metal refining company, purchasing part of its concentrates from Canadian companies.

Vancouver Week's Trading

Compiled by
The Vancouver Stock Exchange

INDUSTRIALS—	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chge
Alcan Alum	850	2775	2727	2775	+25
BC Forest	50	1700	1700	1700	—
BC Sug cm	1606	4425	4375	4400	—25
Do pfd	210	1812	1812	1812	—12
BCT 4 84 p	608	2150	2150	2150	—
BC Turf-cc	508	240	230	235	+15
Bur Dry A	600	687	687	687	—
Can Al Prp	1400	700	650	700	—
Cdn Brew	2628	737	725	725	—38
Cdn PI pfd	400	2402	2387	2387	—12
Cnt Mtg B p	208	600	600	600	—
Cent Mtge	200	95	95	95	—05
Colum NG	476	2150	2150	2150	—
Cominco	470	2600	2537	2537	—112
Com ACr	1160	200	200	200	—
Cunningham	1500	1200	1150	1175	—25
Doman 6½	350	900	900	900	—
Doman Indus	300	465	460	460	+10
Domtar	750	1012	975	975	—50
1st Nt Mtg	27200	330	295	315	+20
Do wt	6350	105	100	105	+15
Fundy Chm	4400	410	305	305	—05
Gill Inter	700	737	725	725	—25
Grw Wine B	300	250	250	250	—
Rome Oil A	200	2562	2562	2562	+100
Imbrex Ltd	200	500	500	500	—37
Inind NG	350	987	975	987	—12
Jhnston T S	8700	750	662	750	+75
Inter Brw B	300	525	525	525	—
LaFarge A	1200	1012	1012	1012	—
Loblaw B	100	687	687	687	—12
MacM Bdl	1365	2437	2412	2412	—37
S Madill	800	500	500	500	—
Mass Frgm	976	1625	1587	1612	—12
McKy CH A	100	175	175	175	—
Morse A pfd	25	3300	3300	3300	—
Neon	[illegible]	1100	1037	1100	+63
Nrthwst Life	300	550	550	550	—
Ocean Cmnt	200	2000	2000	2000	—
Okn Hll wts	6622	125	105	125	+15
Okan Helicp	7400	400	375	400	+05
Pacific Pete	620	1900	1900	1912	—37
PW Airlines	3840	1160	1062	1087	—12
Saratoga A	350	390	390	390	+10
Scott Paper	300	1875	1800	1800	—75
Steel Co Can	110	2012	2012	2012	—
Sta Tow A	400	800	800	800	—
Sun Pub A	300	2862	2850	2862	—12
Trns C Pipe	50	2687	2687	2687	—
Trns Mtn	440	1867	1825	1862	—50
Hrm Walker	300	3325	3325	3325	—
Weldwood	1275	1100	1050	1100	+25
WC Trans	1600	2425	2375	2387	—
West Hrtge	1700	145	135	145	—
Do wts	9000	25	25	25	—
WP Prods	3900	675	650	650	—25
White Pass	200	2750	2687	2750	+12
Woodward's	500	1800	1750	1800	+25
TOTAL INDUSTRIES 158,748.					

MINES—	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chge
Ace	10600	29	27	29	+01
Adera	104100	44	40	41	—
Agassiz	82000	52	50	50	—
Alwin	80800	211	175	210	+35
Anuk River	6000	22	21	22	+02
Arlington	18075	29	27	28	+01
Arctic	176880	285	212	280	+65
Atlas Exp	62500	280	245	274	+34
Benson	13500	17	15	16	—
Bethlehem Cop	3010	780	750	775	—10
Bethex Exp	3000	45	45	45	—05
Blue Star	14500	08	07½	08	—
Bornite	45500	35	29	34	+06
Bralorne	1000	220	200	205	—15
Brenda	33722	765	765	770	+15
Brenmac	15700	33	30	30	—01
Buchanan	5000	20	19	19	—01
Bulkley Lake	36400	54	50	54	—02
Canusa	3500	18	17	18	—
Capri	26800	24½	22	23	—
Cariboo Bell	3300	55	50	55	—05
Carib Gold	35500	34	33	34	+01
Cas Moly	153500	101	91	100	+10
Cassiar Con	525	12	12	12	—
Casino Silv	42200	40	26	40	+13
Chataway	9000	26	25	26	—
Churchill	36900	122	121	121	—19
Coast Cop	100	725	725	725	—15
Coast Silv	172000	35	31	33	—02
Con Rexspar	5600	23½	23	23½	+02½
Con Skeena	10000	47	46	47	—
Con Stand	144231	28	23	24	—01
C Van Tor	30130	27½	26	26	—02
Continental	40054	06	05½	05½	—
C McKinney	6700	23	22	23	—
Cont Potash	16400	13½	12	13	+01
Cop Ridge	31000	26	22	22	—03
Cop Soo	41000	10½	09	09	—01
Coronet	7440	72	70	70	—
Cowich Cop	18700	23	22	22	—
Craigmont	100	1200	1200	1200	—
Crown Silv	21500	07	06	06	—01
Croydon	4500	38	34	34	—03
Cumont	54400	36	23	32	+08
Dolly Var	52300	44	40	43	—05
Dundee	3350	12	12	12	—
Dynasty	27350	800	735	770	+39
Earlcrest	12500	14	13	13½	+00½
Endako	8100	1225	1162	1175	—38
Galaxy	121100	33	27	29	—03
Gem Exp	24800	09½	07	07	—02
Gencona	13000	13	13	13	—01
Gen Res	2800	12	11½	11½	—00½
Giant Exp	3744	29	27	27	—02
G Mascot	18217	129	121	126	—03
Golconda	100	1375	1375	1375	—
Grandue	5175	650	630	640	+05
Grandview	1000	24	24	24	—
Granisle	3508	1225	1025	1225	+330
Highland Bell	600	1425	1325	1425	+25
Highmont	6100	370	350	360	—
Hogan	13500	19	16	18½	—00½
Homestake	18800	18	17	18	+01
Hurley River	5800	07½	07½	07½	—
Iskut	37100	71	63	63	—08
Jersey	41000	28	23	26	+03
Jericho	30500	10	09	10	+00½
Kamloops	11500	09½	09	09	—01
Lakeland	12000	38	35	35	—
Largo	316250	65	58	65	+02
Lend Pride	5000	09	09	09	+01
Lornex	9650	640	630	640	+40
Lytton	30500	80	70	73	—06
Madrena	19200	60	55	57	+01
Magnum	393812	117	1[illegible]	1[illegible]3	—02
Mariner	4000	21	20	21	+01
Merritt Cop	27000	36	23	23	—02
Mid West	8900	37	33	34	—
Mineral Mt.	15300	32	28	30	+02
Minex	13900	23	20½	21	—
Molymine	[illegible]	18	17	17	—
Mt. Wash	3300	14	12	12	—01
Nadina Exp	2800	75	70	70	—
National	11500	13	11	13	—02
Native	8000	30	28	30	—
N Cron Bab	16500	12	11½	12	—
N Imperial	21900	365	320	360	+35
N Indian	8250	15½	15	15	—
N Privateer	5500	17	15	17	+00½
Norcan	9300	23	21	23	+02
North Amer	1000	43	42	42	—
Northlode	705600	109	76	82	—05
Northwest	11500	10½	08½	08½	—00½
Oro	79200	54	45	53	+05
Pacific Silv	14500	12	11	11	—00½
Patricia	11500	25	23	24	—
PCE Exp	200	148	148	148	—
Peel Res	17500	12½	11½	12	+00½
Peso Silver	5300	150	179	180	+13
Pine Bell	3000	22	21	22	—
Pine Point	850	4937	4912	4912	—
Placer Dev	100	3100	3100	3100	—
Polaris	11833	17½	15½	16½	—01½
Pyramid	23275	580	560	560	—05
Quatsino	12500	17	16	16½	+00½
Reeves MacD	200	155	155	155	—
Rodstrom	147400	61	51	51	—07
Rolling Hills	15000	29	28	28	—01
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Vanmetal	26300	14	13	13½	—00½
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R.C. Vent	2500	38	37	37	—04
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TOTAL OILS, 853,064.					
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Vancouver Post

QUEEN CHARLOTTE CITY, B.C. (CP)—Dr. Robert Henderson has resigned as director of the Queen Charlotte Islands General Hospital to become resident doctor at Grace Hospital in Vancouver for six months. Dr. F. C. Barton of Orillia, Ont., will replace him.

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Really Big Show Liberal Target

OTTAWA (CP)—There is little doubt at this stage the Liberal leadership convention next spring will be another television extravaganza.

Liberal planners will want to match or surpass the Conservative show of last September when the drama of the situation drew massive television coverage and a mass audience.

Via television, the people received a blow-by-blow visual account of the replacement of John Diefenbaker as leader by Robert Stanfield. It was exciting television.

FAMILIAR NAMES

The Liberals appear certain to have the basic, suspense-building ingredient for a spectacular—several well known candidates.

Agriculture Minister Greene, himself a possibility, forecasts five or six entrants. Senator John Nichol, president of the Liberal Federation and chief convention planner, figures on no less than five and no more than nine.

The convention planning is largely based on this numbers-game premise. The candidates, as they announce, will build interest for the show. So will their campaigns.

SUSPENSE-DRAMA

This was the pattern for the Conservative convention, in which there were nine big-name hats in the ring and two unknowns.

From the suspense-drama angle, the Conservative convention had an asset the Liberals do not have at this stage: John Diefenbaker.

The doubt about whether he would run to succeed himself put convention viewers through an emotional wringer. His last-minute entry and subsequent defeat was an added fillip.

MORE THAN LEADER

But there should be more natural drama in the Liberal leadership race because the party is picking more than a leader. It is picking the prime minister to succeed Lester Pearson.

The Conservative convention was the first of the really big television spectaculars in domestic politics. The Liberal function will probably be the second.

Politicians planning conventions of various kinds have an acute eye out for the Big Eye. They are generally in love with the impact that can be made on the public consciousness through television coverage, live or other wise.

For instance, senior officials of the New Democratic Party went into a flap when television people showed only a modest interest in their biennial convention in Toronto last July.

It was the NDP's misfortune to have a convention that lacked the kind of controversy that merited a great deal of television coverage—or newspaper coverage for that matter.

So, the public can be assured the Liberals will work hard to make the biggest television impact they can.

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One from B.C.

Leaders Meet To Set Stage

OTTAWA (CP)—Top leaders of Canada's Liberal party meet Sunday to set the stage for selection of a successor to Lester Pearson as party leader and prime minister.

Lawrence Jolivet, president of the British Columbia Liberal Association, will be representing the B.C. Liberals at the meeting. It is not known if any other leading Liberal party members from the province will be attending the meeting.

Pearson, 70, announced Thursday his decision to retire.

The likeliest choice on the time and place for the convention is the third week in April in Ottawa.

The Conservative convention in September was regarded as a resounding success in attracting public attention. The Conservatives at that time named Robert L. Stanfield as their leader, succeeding John Diefenbaker.

Only one Liberal has so far announced his intention of seeking the leadership. He is Agriculture Minister J. J. Greene, 47, a Toronto-born lawyer who has become a colorful member of Parliament since his election to Ottawa in 1963.

But these men are considered front-running candidates:

Likely, Possible

● External Affairs Minister Paul Martin, 64, dean of the Liberal leadership in terms of political experience and age.

● Robert Winters, 57, a native of Nova Scotia who is trade minister in Pearson's government.

● Finance Minister Mitchell Sharp, 57, a former Winnipeg economist who now represents Toronto in Parliament.

● Transport Minister Paul Hellyer, 44, who entered Pearson's government as defence minister, transferring to transport later.

These men are regarded as possible candidates:

● Jean Marchand, 49, former labor leader who is minister of manpower and immigration.

● Allan MacEachen, 46, former labor minister who is now health minister and party leader in the House of Commons.

● Pierre Elliott Trudeau, 46, justice minister whom many regard as a "swinger" because of his informal style of dress.

● E. J. Benson, 44, revenue minister and president of the Treasury Board.

● John Turner, 38, who was born in Britain and is held as the party's most attractive candidate to pull in young voters. He is now minister of consumer and corporate affairs.

● Walter Gordon, 61, president of the Privy Council, and one of Pearson's closest friends.

● Former Revenue Minister Eric Kierans, French-and English-speaking leader of Quebec's Liberal party.

U.S. Paper Rolls Only on Sunday

LOS ANGELES (LAT) — The Los Angeles Herald-Examiner was not published Saturday due to a strike, but the paper's publisher, George Hearst, said there would be a Sunday edition.

"It is the expectation that more than 500,000 copies of the Sunday edition would be produced," Hearst said.

No copies of the Sunday Herald-Examiner were on newsstands Saturday afternoon.

However, union officials confirmed management reports that copies of the paper were being produced in the plant.

The Herald-Examiner, with a circulation of 726,424, is the nation's largest afternoon newspaper. At 11:10 a.m. Friday 1,100 members of the American Newspaper Guild walked off their jobs in a demand for higher pay and improved fringe benefits.

Russian Limit Catch

Fish Pact 'Disappointing'

SEATTLE (AP) — The United States and Russia have decided to continue for another year the agreement under which the Soviets promised to reduce fishing along the Pacific Coast.

This was reported from Washington, D.C., Saturday by Sens. Warren G. Magnuson (D-Wash.) and E. L. Bartlett (D-Alaska).

The senators said the state department informed them of the action after 10-day negotiations concluded Friday in the nation's capital.

BOTTOM TRAWLS

Under the agreement in effect the past year the Soviets agreed to ease the pressure on the hake fishery, not fish specifically for ocean perch, reduce the number of vessels in some areas and operate bottom trawls so as to minimize the catch of sole and flounder.

Magnuson and Bartlett said a fisheries delegation from Washington, Oregon, California and Alaska sought further concessions from the Soviets this year.

"While we are disappointed that more progress was not made at this time," the senators said in a joint statement, "we think it was wise to continue this agreement for one more year so we can show conclusively after two years of the agreement that the Soviet fleet ... is still seriously reducing ocean perch and other fish stocks and interfering with our fishermen."

They added that while the Soviets claim to be interested only in hake, "in fact they have taken several thousand tons each year of ocean perch ..."

Canada Slows Rush for Gold

OTTAWA (CP)—The Bank of Canada, in a move to co-operate with the London Gold Pool, asked Canadian banks Saturday not to extend credit for the purchase of gold.

In a statement by Louis Rasminsky, governor of the central bank, the bank also asked Canadian fiancial intermediaries not to handle forward purchases of gold.

The statement said the request was made as a measure of international monetary co-operation.

Earlier in the week, the seven countries in the London Gold Pool agreed on new plans to curb gold trading and support the U.S. dollar. They banned deals for forward purchase—the future sale or delivery of gold—and dealing in gold on credit.

The aim was to protect gold reserves from speculative pressures after the Nov. 18 devaluation of the British pound and subsequent gold buying on the basis of speculation that the U.S. would not maintain the price of gold at $35 an ounce.

Copper Mountain Mine Bought by U.S. Firm

VANCOUVER (CP) — Newmont Mining Corp. of New York has purchased a British Columbia copper property of Granby Mining Co. for about $11,600,000, it was disclosed Friday.

L. T. Postle of Vancouver, President of Granby, said the deal involves granby's Copper Mountain operation near Princeton. Granby closed down the copper operation in 1957 but for the last two years has been re-exploring it.

Mr. Postle said the exact purchase price was $8,000,000 cash in U.S. funds and 40,000 shares of Newmont stock, which traded Friday on the New York exchange at $68⅝.

The purchase by Newmont does not include Granby's other subsidiary operation in B.C.

Copper Mountain is adjacent to property owned by Newmont and which Newmont has said contains more than 40,000,000 tons of low-grade copper.

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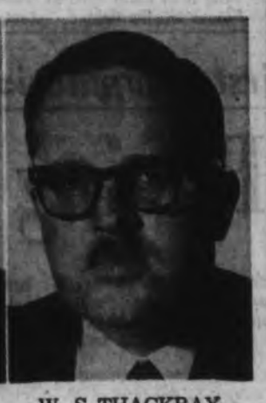

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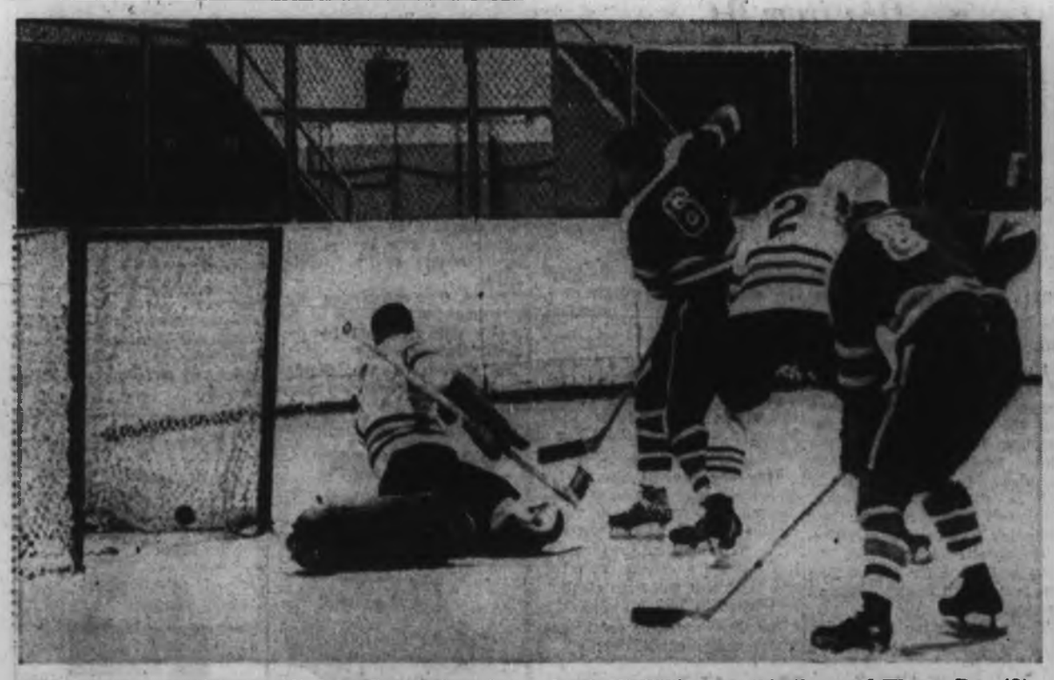

Vernon's Tom Williamson (6) beat Cougars' goaltender Murray Finlay on this first period shot but Finlay was instrumental in Victoria's Saturday win at Memorial Arena. Bill Mainland (2) couldn't head off Williamson this time and Wayne Dye (8) of Vernon was ready for the rebound which didn't come.—(Jim Ryan photo)

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Ferrill Sparks Victoria

Cougars Top Vernon

By KEVAN HULL

"It wasn't my idea," a tired Dennis Ferrill grinned after Saturday's B.C. Junior Hockey League game at Memorial Arena.

Ferrill played approximately 40 minutes at centre to spark the Cougars to a 5-2 victory over Vernon Essos which snapped Victoria's four-game losing streak.

The steady forward, who needed a cortisone shot before the game, didn't score but assisted on three goals, backchecked, forechecked, killed penalties and with Garth Greig was the only shooter to skate in the first period.

The 1,968 fans didn't have much to cheer about in the first period as the Cougars were outshot, 14-3, and Murray Finlay had to keep Cougars in the game with several sparkling saves. He had no chance on the one goal he gave up.

Tom Williamson, left unmarked in front of the Victoria net, batted in Larry Hackman's rebound at 7:02.

STARTED TO HIT

Coach Doug Anderson got the Cougars to hit in the second period and the complexion of the game changed. Vernon still had most of the play but the Cougars were starting to come and scored three unanswered goals in the final period to clinch the victory.

Anderson went with Ferrill at centre for most of the second period, spelling him off with John Van Horlick who had started at left wing.

Bob Webb and John Margetts gave Victoria the lead on long screen shots from the left point which beat Vernon's Jack Gilroy on the short side.

STRONG FINISH

Leftwinger Lawrence Quechuk tied it up while Vernon was playing a man short, breaking past Margetts on a two-on one situation and bouncing it in off Finlay's pad into the top corner.

Cougars dominated play in the final period with Terry Mitchell, Victoria's steadiest shooter in recent games, getting the winner at 2:12 on a breakaway.

Barry Clarke, who was benched for the second period, slapped in a pass from Ferrill while sprawled on the ice and Dave Williams completed the scoring at 8:55.

The win lifted Cougars to within four points of the fourth-place Essos.

Result of the Kamloops-Kelowna game were not available at press time.

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Penticton	30	18	3	0	139	85	36
x-Kamloops	23	11	9	0	111	95	22
N. Westminster	18	9	7	2	83	80	20
Vernon	19	7	9	3	80	90	17
VICTORIA	21	5	13	3	74	106	13
x-Kelowna	19	3	13	3	65	90	9

x—Saturday's result unavailable.

Next game: Today—Vernon at New Westminster.

VERNON 2, VICTORIA 5

FIRST PERIOD

1. Vernon, Williamson (Hackman) 7:02.
Penalties—Margetts (Vic) 1:12, 12:27; Gow (Vic) 18:02.

SECOND PERIOD

2. Victoria, Webb (Ferrill) 7:48.
3. Victoria, Margetts 14:07.
4. Vernon, Quechuk 18:35.
Penalties—Hackman (Ver) 2:58; Pollon (Ver) 17:04.

THIRD PERIOD

5. Victoria, Mitchell (Margetts) 2:12.
6. Victoria, Clarke (Ferrill, Webb) 5:30.
7. Victoria, Williams (Mitchell, Ferrill) 8:55.
Penalties—Dye (Ver), Gow (Vic) majors, 2:28; Pollon (Ver) 10:41; Whiting (Vic) 15:20.

Saves:

Gilroy (Ver)	3	6	8	—17
Finlay (Vic)	13	10	8	—31

SOLUNAR TABLES
WHEN TO FISH OR HUNT
by Richard Alden Knight

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 10 days will be as follows (Times shown are Pacific Standard Time):

A.M. Minor	A.M. Major	P.M. Minor	P.M. Major
TODAY			
7:55	11:15	4:45	11:35
TOMORROW			
8:50	...	5:45	12:10
TUESDAY			
9:35	12:35	6:50	1:10
WEDNESDAY			
10:15	1:35	8:05	2:05
THURSDAY			
10:50	2:30	9:15	3:00
FRIDAY			
11:25	3:25	10:25	3:50
SATURDAY			
11:55	4:15	11:40	4:40
SUNDAY			
...	5:05	12:20	5:30
MONDAY			
12:50	5:50	12:40	6:15
TUESDAY			
2:00	6:35	1:05	7:00

Major solunar periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours, dark type.
Minor periods, shorter in duration, light type.

Totems, Canucks Register Wins

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Seattle	29	16	11	2	82	70	34
Portland	34	13	16	1	86	98	27
San Diego	23	12	10	1	68	74	25
Vancouver	29	11	16	2	83	100	24
Phoenix	29	8	19	2	79	130	18
AHL	36	20	14	2	135	111	..

Next game: Tuesday—Phoenix at Vancouver.

Seattle Totems tightened their hold on first place in the Western Hockey League Saturday and avenged two straight losses to Phoenix with a 5-2 win over the Roadrunners in Seattle.

Fourth-place Vancouver Canucks tripped second-place Portland Buckaroos, 4-1, at Portland in the only other league game.

Tom Iannone scored twice while Bill Dineen, Larry Hale and Don Chiz added the others for Seattle while Del Topoll and Jack Matheson were the Phoenix snipers.

Totems took a 2-1 lead in the first period and outscored Roadrunners, 3-1, in the third after a scoreless second period.

Forward Barry Watson exploded for three goals to pace Canucks to their win and Danny Belisle got the other goal. Art Jones fired the only Portland goal.

Quarterback Breaks Leg

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Quarterback Dick Shiner of the Cleveland Browns broke his leg in practice Saturday and will miss today's season final game against the Philadelphia Eagles.

The Browns said Shiner slipped on an icy field while working in Cleveland Saturday before the team flew here. He broke the fibula in his left leg.

All Blacks Unbeaten On European Tour

TWICKENHAM, England (AP) — The New Zealand Rugby Union team scored twice in the last two minutes Saturday to defeat the Barbarians 11-8 and end their European tour undefeated with 16 victories and one draw.

Ian MacRae and Tony Steele each scored a try in the final minutes drive. Fergie McCormick converted.

The crowd of 40,000 at Twickenham sang Auld Land Syne as the All Blacks left the field.

Stuart Wilson sent the Barbarians into the lead with a 50-yard drop goal in the third minute.

Kirton kicked a drop goal for New Zealand in the 10th minute and the teams were 3-3 at half time.

In the 60th minute, Bob Lloyd snapped up a bouncing ball and went over in the corner to send the Barbarians ahead 6-3.

The All Blacks are the first touring team to leave Europe undefeated since an earlier New Zealand side did it in 1924.

Upsets Seeds

Unseeded Michael Greenwood of Victoria has reached the semi-finals of the U.S.A. Junior Squash Championships at Kent, Conn. Greenwood eliminated fifth-seeded Elliot Berry and fourth-seeded Dave Linden. He meets the top seed, Sandy McAdoo today in the semi-final.

Wanderers Outscore All Blacks

North Shore All-Blacks were defeated, 16-9, by Oak Bay Wanderers Saturday at Carnarvon Park in the first of their two weekend exhibition rugby matches.

The Mainland team meets a team composed largely of Loughborough College "old boys" on the same grounds at 2:30 this afternoon. Four members of Castaways and Don Burgess of the Wanderers will round out the city side.

Wanderers got away to an 11-3 lead in the first half yesterday, getting trys from Rick Wolfe and Burgess and a drop goal and a convert from Burgess while yielding a try by Bucky Ellison.

Don Shaw scored a try and Burgess made the conversion in the second half while North Shore cut the lead slightly on two penalty goals by John Narbett.

Brundage Protests Charges

LAUSANNE, Switzerland (AP)—Avery Brundage, president of the International Olympic Committee, said it is "a monstrous lie" to call him anti-Semitic or anti-Negro.

"My record speaks for itself," he said.

The accusation against Brundage came from Dr. Harry Edwards, a San Jose State College professor and head of a boycott committee.

Maniago Blanks Seals Nears Shutout Record

Trail-born Cesare Maniago, one of the few British Columbians to play in the National Hockey League, Saturday night got within one game of equalling a modern NHL record when he blanked Oakland Seals, 1-0.

It was the third straight shutout for the 28-year-old goalkeeper, who led Minnesota North Stars to 4-0 and 3-0 victories over Los Angeles Kings on Wednesday and Friday nights.

CONSTANT PRESSURE

Maniago, who has stopped 78 shots in his three-game streak, was under constant pressure last night with the North Stars outplayed in the last two periods and unable to get him a working margin until late in the third period.

North Stars were outshot, 23-9, in the last two periods but the Kings couldn't get a puck past Maniago and Parker. MacDonald finally gave him the goal he needed at 14:52 of the last period.

Victory moved the North Stars within one point of the second-place Kings and within three points of the leading Philadelphia Flyers in the expansion division, officially known as the Western Division although it has clubs in Philadelphia and Pittsburgh.

POOR CROWD

Oakland attendance continued to be bad, only 2,784 fans turning up to form the smallest Saturday night crowd of the season.

Flyers moved ahead by defeating Blues, 1-0, before 7,570 St. Louis fans before the brilliant goalkeeping of Bernie Parent.

Beaten five times and tied once by the Flyers, the St. Louis club held an edge in play but Parent, who got good defensive support, got in the way of 25 shots for his first shutout of the season. Lou Angotti got the goal in the last minute of the second period.

BOSTON WINS

Meanwhile, Boston Bruins checked a losing streak at three games by belting the Kings, 5-2, before 5,166 fans in Long Beach.

Chicago Black Hawks, the only club in the Eastern Division which hasn't had the division lead at one stage of the season, actually shared first place with the Bruins for about three hours after playing to a 1-1 tie with Pittsburgh Penguins in a game which was over before the Long Beach game started.

Bruins got goals from Phil Esposito and Tom Williams in the first period and a third scoring shot from Eddie Shack in the second period before Kings, beaten in their last three games, ended a nine-period scoring famine with second-period goals by Real Lemieux and Howie Hughes.

TWO FOR STANFIELD

Fred Stanfield made certain the Bruins increased their lead to two points by scoring two third period goals.

John Bucyk assisted once for his 36th point, which put him within two points of Bobby Hull in the individual scoring race. Stanfield's two goals boosted him to 35 points and a third-place tie with Stan Mikita, who drew an assist on the Chicago goal.

Right behind the top four is Boston's John McKenzie, who picked up two assists to get to 33 points.

Mikita's pass to Ken Wharram during a first-period power play gave the Hawks a lead they managed to hold until Art Stratton squared matters for the Penguins with a breakaway goal in the second minute of the third period.

Mikita was forced to leave the game in the second period when 17 stitches were required to close a cut on the side of his head which had been sliced open by a puck.

In last night's other two games, Montreal Canadiens continued to show signs of returning to form by holding off Detroit Red Wings, 4-3, and Toronto Maple Leafs, beaten by expansion clubs in their last two games and winless in their last four, closed out New York Rangers, 4-2.

Rookie Danny Grant and Bob Rousseau gave Canadiens a 2-0 lead in the first period but the home club was never reasonably safe until Ralph Backstrom provided a 4-2 lead midway through the third period with the prettiest goal of the game.

PERFECT PASS

Wings got to 1-2 in the second period and 2-3 in the 10th minute of the third period, when they appeared to be coming on strongly. But Rousseau grabbed the puck near his blue-line, sped down centre ice and fed Backstrom a perfect pass at the Detroit blue-line.

Backstrom neatly pulled Roy Edwards down in close quarters before putting the puck in the net.

Floyd Smith got Wings back within a single goal for the third time with two and a half minutes left but Lorne Worsley balked them on their last good chance by getting a toe on a ticketed drive by Paul Henderson.

WIDE OPEN ACTION

Action in Toronto was wide open with the Leafs peppering Ed Giacomin with 48 shots and the Rangers getting 37 away at Johnny Bower.

Dave Keon, on a perfect setup from Frank Mahovlich, and Ron Ellis scored for the Leafs after a scoreless first period to set up a third period in which the goalkeepers had 38 shots to handle.

Mahovlich scored for 3-0 on a pass from Keon before Don Marshall got the Rangers started but Mike Walton put it out of New York reach less than four minutes later with his 17th goal.

EASTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Boston	28	16	8	4	98	77	36
Chicago	30	13	9	8	88	83	34
Toronto	28	14	9	5	88	69	33
Detroit	28	13	10	5	80	81	31
New York	28	13	12	4	70	79	30
Montreal	29	10	12	7	73	68	27

WESTERN DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Philadelphia	27	13	9	5	80	68	31
Los Angeles	29	13	13	3	76	90	29
Minnesota	28	11	11	6	65	71	28
Pittsburgh	28	11	12	5	73	81	27
St. Louis	28	8	17	3	54	71	19
Oakland	28	7	17	5	57	79	19

Next games: Today — Montreal at Detroit; Toronto at Chicago; St. Louis at New York; Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.

CHICAGO 1, PITTSBURGH 1

FIRST PERIOD

1. Chicago, Wharram (18) (Mohns, Mikita) 11:39.
Penalties—Mohns (C) 8:13; Price (P) 11:19; Jarrett (C) 19:07.

SECOND PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—Pilote (C) 11:07; Nesterenko (C) 18:32.

THIRD PERIOD

2. Pittsburgh, Stratton (12) (McDonald) 1:12.
Penalties—None.

Shots on goal by:

Chicago	11	5	10	—26
Pittsburgh	12	8	9	—29

Attendance: 9,174.

NEW YORK 2, TORONTO 4

FIRST PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—W. Hillman (T) 17:46.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Toronto, Keon (5) (Mahovlich, Armstrong) 9:32.
2. Toronto, Ellis (11) (Rupp) 11:38.
Penalty—Conacher (T) 18:54.

THIRD PERIOD

3. Toronto, Mahovlich (6) (Keon, Stanley) 4:08.
4. New York, Marshall (7) (Nevin, Goyette) 4:56.
5. Toronto, Walton (17) (Pulford, Ellis) 8:38.
6. New York, Kurtenbach (6) (Neilson, Geoffrion) 19:48.
Penalty—Ratelle (NY) 14:38.

Shots on goal by:

New York	10	10	17	—37
Toronto	14	13	21	—48

Attendance: 15,782.

DETROIT 3, MONTREAL 4

FIRST PERIOD

1. Montreal, Grant (2) (Lemaire, Harris) 4:46.
2. Montreal, Rousseau (6) (J. C. Tremblay, Redmond) 13:04.
Penalty—Talbot (D) 6:16; Lemaire (M) 6:49; Watson (D) 7:17; Marsh (D) 12:01.

SECOND PERIOD

3. Detroit, Jarrett (8) (MacGregor, Crashley) 9:55.
4. Montreal, G. Tremblay (8) (Laperriere, Provost) 18:44.
Penalty—Jarrett (D) 14:38.

THIRD PERIOD

5. Detroit, Delvecchio (7) (Howe, Prentice) 9:19.
6. Montreal, Backstrom (10) (Rousseau, Harris) 9:51.
7. Detroit, Smith (8) (Ullman) 17:38.
Penalties—Grant (M) 2:46; Harris (M) 4:55; Howe (D) 12:38.

Shots on goal by:

Detroit	3	10	12	—25
Montreal	9	11	6	—26

Attendance: 14,817.

PHILADELPHIA 1, ST. LOUIS 0

FIRST PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—Angotti (P) 5:45; R. Plager (SL) 11:13; Parent (P) 18.08.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Philadelphia, Angotti (4) (Dornhoefer, Laforge) 19:04.
Penalties—Moore (SL) 1:12; Laforge (P) 11:28.

THIRD PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—Laforge (P) 11:18; R. Plager (SL) 18:08.

Shots on goal by:

Philadelphia	6	7	4	—17
St. Louis	12	7	6	—25

Attendance: 7,570.

BOSTON 5, LOS ANGELES 2

FIRST PERIOD

1—Boston Esposito (12) (Williams, Hodge) :48.
2—Boston, Williams (8) (Doak) 11:11.
Penalties—Amadio (LA) 10:08.

SECOND PERIOD

3—Boston, Shack (9) (McKenzie) 11:08.
4—Los Angeles, H. Hughes (2) (Wall, Lemieux) 18:08.
5—Los Angeles—Lemieux (6) (Joyal, Fleet) 17:28.
Penalties—Joyal (LA) 2:16, Sanderson (B) 5:32, Westfall (B) (2) 11:30; Lemieux (LA) (2) 11:30; Campbell (LA) 13:08.

THIRD PERIOD

6—Boston, Stanfield (16) (D. Smith, Bucyk) 7:42.
7—Boston, Stanfield (11) (McKenzie, Green) 9:52.
Penalties—McKenzie (B) 2:38; Smith (LA) 12:22; McKenzie (B) 19:48.

Shots on goal:

Boston	9	7	3	—19
Los Angeles	10	7	7	—24

Attendance: 5,166.

MINNESOTA 1, OAKLAND 0

FIRST PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—McDonald (M) 5:49; Woytowich (M) 14:10; R. Harris (O) (major and minor) 14:10; Boudrias (M) 15:47.

SECOND PERIOD

No scoring.
Penalties—Taylor (M) 12:28; Vasko 19:13.

THIRD PERIOD

1—Minnesota, McDonald (5) (Cullen) 14:32.
Penalties—None.

Shots on goal by:

Minnesota	4	6	3	—13
Oakland	5	12	11	—28

Attendance: 2,784.

Top Favorites Still Alive In Mixed Curling Playoffs

All of the rinks which figured to have the best chance of winning one of the qualifying berths were still alive when play ended Saturday night in the South Vancouver mixed-rink curling playdowns but the first day of play was liberally sprinkled with upsets.

Sixteen rinks out of the starting field of 33 in the double-knockout bonspiel competition being used for the first time are left for the second day of play. Four are unbeaten and left in "A" event but most of the highly-regarded combinations are among the 12 in the 16s of "B" event and need three victories to earn the two "B" qualifying spots.

They include Glen Harper's 1966 provincial champions from Duncan, Gordon Hooey of Esquimalt, Keith Dagg of the Victoria Curling Club and Fred Duncan of Duncan.

IN "A" SEMIFINALS

In the semifinals of "A" event and only one victory away from the Island final were Al Paterson and Wayne Buck of Esquimalt, Dom Matheson of the VCC and Ed Taylor's quartet from Allan's Curling Club.

A winner last season, Matheson (Dorothy and Sus Fukuyama and Betty Stubbs) could be credited with the most notable accomplishment as he disposed of Hooey, Dagg and Ken Sturrock in that order to reach the "A" semis.

Ed Taylor, who started off with victories over Lyle Gordon and Ken Nordlinger, finished his day by knocking Harper into "B" event. Buck started with a win over Keith MacKenzie, then got by Duncan in an interesting game when the Duncan skip failed to make his strategy of blanking the eighth end when trailing by one rock work out.

Buck then made it three in a row by defeating Jack Flynn of Allan's.

Paterson defeated Sam Snobelen of Esquimalt, Bob Gallaugher of Allan's and Elmer Hoffman of the VCC in that order.

EARLY START TODAY

Play resumes at 8 this morning with two games at the Victoria Curling Club and six at Esquimalt Municipal Centre.

Paterson meets Ed Taylor and Buck plays Matheson in the "A" semis at the VCC with the winners qualifying for the Island final late next month and the losers dropping to the quarterfinals in "B" event.

The six games on today's first draw at Esquimalt are all in the 16s of "B" event — Michael Falkins of the Racquet Club vs Don Edl, of Esquimalt, Bob Bell of Duncan vs Hooey, Gar Taylor of the VCC vs Duncan, Jim Coffey of the VCC vs Dagg, Hoffman vs Harper and Flynn vs Sturrock.

Eastern Nationals Top Soviet Selects

HULL, Quebec (CP) — Bolstered by four players from Winnipeg, Canada's "Eastern" National team scored a 5-3 win over Moscow Selects Saturday in an exhibition hockey game.

About 2,000 fans gave the Canadians a standing ovation at the final whistle. Selects dumped the Canadian team 9-3 in Moscow two weeks ago.

Right-winger Ray Cadieux, one of the four players inserted into the Canadian lineup, fired two goals to pace the win. Another Winnipeg player, Jean Cusson, also scored.

Other Canadian scorers were Bob Goring and Ken Allison.

The game was the first of a Canadian tour for the Selects. They will play nine games in Canada including one in Victoria, Dec. 22 against Canada's Winnipeg-based Nationals.

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Racing History for Arctic Sunset

LONDON (AP) — Arctic Sunset won the world's first computer horse race Saturday and the bookies paid out on the line.

Favored Kapeno ran out of the money in the field of 19.

The race-by-form took place in a little room at London University. Racing has been banned in Britain because of the foot and mouth diseases.

The London Evening Standard came up with the idea to satisfy betting-hungry Britons and starving bookies with a 2½-mile steeplechase race where the form, names of the jockeys, owners, trainers, quirks of the horses and trainers involved were fed into the magic box.

Two of Britain's top racing commentators, Peter O'Sullivan and Clive Graham, gave a fence-by-fence account of the race to millions of television viewers. The commentary was based on information spewed out by the computer.

Arctic Sunset won the race that never was at betting offs of 6 to 1. Second-placed Mazo was 33-1 and San Angelo was third at 10 to 1.

Barry Brogan, the jockey who would have ridden Artic Sunset in the 2½-mile Massey-Ferguson Gold Cup steeplechase had it been pissible, said on television:

"Arctic Sunset normally is a front runner. But he didn't run that way on the computer. Maybe there's a lesson there somewhere. He won by being tucked in, according to this electronic brain."

The winner came through toward the end to take the ace.

The computer race had the approval of the National Hunt Committee, the ruling body of steeplechasing in Britain. Bookies laid the odds. Bettors paid out their money. And as soon as the race was over the bookies were there with money to pay out — and pocketing the money the bettors had lost.

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Unitas and Gabriel Match Talents Today

By PAUL ZIMMERMAN

LOS ANGELES — The two finest teams in the National Football League meet for the Coastal Division title at Memorial Coliseum this afternoon in what amounts to no more than the quarter-finals of the championship race.

It will be unbeaten Baltimore against once-defeated Los Angeles playing for the privilege of meeting Green Bay (9-3-1) at Milwaukee a week hence for the eventual honor of competing for the league crown.

Today's Coastal Division game between Baltimore and Los Angeles will be televised on Channel 7 and 12 immediately following the Cleveland at Philadelphia game.

A capacity crowd of more than 75,000 fans will gather for the 1:05 kickoff, with the Rams favored by a single point.

For the Colts a tie is enough to put them in the semifinals as champions of the Coastal Division, enough to make them the first team in a quarter of a century of NFL play to finish a season unbeaten.

In three decades there has never been such a pro football parallel where an undefeated eleven and a once-beaten team have faced each other in the final game of the league season.

"We've thought all along the big game would be in Los Angeles," said Baltimore coach Don Shula. "It is only fitting that whoever wins this second meeting after out 24-24 tie the first time we met should represent the Coastal Division."

It has been a rugged road for the Colts, who have been forced by injuries to make 15 changes at a total of eight positions on their undefeated way here.

TOUGHEST DEFENCES

Obviously, the outcome hinges on how well Baltimore's NFL player of the year, John Unitas, and quarterback Roman Gabriel for Los Angeles can solve two of the toughest defensive units in pro football today.

In their previous meeting these two great quarterbacks finished dead even in total net yards with 270 apiece.

During league play this season, however, Unitas holds the passing edge. He has completed 58.0 per cent of his tosses for 3,222 yards, compared with Gabriel's 2,522 yards on a 51.0 per cent average. Roman holds the touchdown edge, 22 to 19.

Unitas' accomplishments are also reflected in the fact that Baltimore leads the league in points scored with 384, an average of just under 30 a game.

Coach Shula's defensive unit has a record indicating it is a close match with the Rams in this department. The Colts have allowed fewer points than any team in the NFL, a department in which the Rams stand third.

Los Angeles boasts the best defense in the league against the rush, but Baltimore's running attack is the lesser part of its offense. Unitas' passing has accounted for twice as many yards as the team's runner, led by Tom Matte, who has scored nine touchdowns.

The Ram ground game, led by Les Josephson, who has enjoyed his greatest year, and Dick Bass, is considerably better than that of the Colts.

Josephson also has become one of Gabriel's prime receivers, but Bernie Casey and Jack Snow have hit scoring territory more often, with seven touchdowns each.

Bunning

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Phils Trade Bunning For Young Pitchers

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Philadelphia Phillies, in what appears to be a rebuilding program, traded ace right-handed pitcher Jim Bunning to Pittsburgh Pirates Saturday for left-hander Woody Fryman, and three minor-league players.

General Manager John Quinn of the National League Phillies said shortstop Don Money, a Pirates' farmhand, was the key to his willingness to give up the 36-year-old Bunning, one of the top pitchers in baseball. The Phillies also received two pitchers from the Pirates' system: left-hander Bill Laxton and right-hander Harold Clem.

TRADE A STUNNER

The trade was a stunner in that the Phillies did not obtain a proven major-league performer. Fryman had a 12-9 rookie year at Pittsburgh in 1966, but last season slumped to 3-8.

Bunning, one of eight pitchers in major league baseball to pitch a perfect game, came to the Phillies in 1963 from Detroit Tigers for outfielder Don Demeter and pitcher Jack Hamilton. He won 19 games in each of his first three years with the Phillies and 17 last season for a total of 74 National League victories, including 23 shutouts and a 2.48 ERA. He lost 46.

Last season he posted a 2.29 ERA, second best in the league and the best of his 13-year career.

Bunning's 15 losses last season included six shutouts, five by 1-0 scores, tying a major league record.

Money, 20, won the most Valuable Player Award in the Carolina League last year while playing for Raleigh. He batted .310, hit 16 home runs, drove in 86 and led the league with 37 doubles.

Laxton, 19, pitched with Clinton, Iowa, of the Midwest league. He was 4-9 with a 3.74 ERA.

Clem, 21, posted a 15-3 record at Raleigh and led the league with a 1.64 ERA.

Bunning, who pitched his perfect game June 24, 1964, against New York Mets and also hurled a no-hit, no-run game for Detroit against Boston July 20, 1958, said he was happy with the trade.

Assassins Here To Defend Title

The Assassins, world's tag team wrestling champions, defend their title Tuesday at Memorial Arena against the popular McLarty Brothers, Don and Roy.

In other matches Rocky Johnson fights Dr. Jerry Graham, Red McNulty battles Frank Shields, and Woody Farmer meets Ike Harmen. Action starts at 8:15 p.m.

Minor Soccer Results

Results of Saturday's Lower Island juvenile and junior Soccer Association games:

DIVISION III

Lake Hill 2, Whytes Shop Easy 2.
Boys' Club 5, Evening Optimists 0.

DIVISION IV

Gorge FC 4, Britannia Legion 2.
Langford 3, Esquimalt 0.
Evening Optimists 2, Prospect Lake 0.
Gordon Head Shell 1, Saanich Employees 1.

DIVISION V

Lake Hill Luckies 1, Gorge FC 1.
Quigg Builders 3, Lake Hill 0.
Oak Bay Optimists 5, Langford 1.
View Royal FF 2, Marina SC 0.
Skillings Mayflower 0, Peninsula Tigers 0.

DIVISION VI

Saanich Twisties 1, Lake Hill Kiwanis 2.
Oak Bay Optimists 0, Public Service Legion 4.
Esquimalt Legion 1, Evening Optimists 0.
Cordova Bay 0, Lake Hill GS 0.
ANAF 1, Langford 0 Mile 0.
Gorge Canadians 4, Whytes Shop Easy 0.
Douglas Rotary 1, Victoria Boys' Club 2.

DIVISION VII A

Langford 1, Oldfield Service 2.
Oak Bay Optimists 0, Gorge Canadians 0.
Peninsula Cougars 4, Gorge FC 5.
Cadboro Bay Gyros 0, Evening Optimists 4.
Pro Pats 0, Lake Hill Kiwanis 6.
Brentwood Thistles 0, Boy's Club 2.

DIVISION VII B

Northridge 0, Gorge United 0.
View Royal Recreations 2, View Royal Eagles 0.
Evening Optimists 2, Royal Oak Pharmacy 0.
Lake Hill Canadians 0, Lake Hill Kiwanis 4.
Cooke and Talbot 5, Parker Johnson 0.
Cadboro Bay FF 0, Esquimalt 14.
Gordon Head B 7, Hirst and Finnoff 0.

O'Keefes Entertain Firefighters Today

	GP	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
UBC	8	3	1	4	16	10	10
Westminster	9	4	3	2	10	13	10
Burnaby Villa	10	4	4	2	18	19	10
Columbus	7	4	2	1	15	11	9
Firefighters	7	3	3	1	8	9	7
VICTORIA	7	2	4	1	10	13	5
North Shore	8	1	4	1	8	9	3

Next games: Today — Firefighters at Victoria; North Shore at Columbus.

Defending champions Victoria O'Keefes can move within striking distance of the Pacific Coast Soccer League lead today with a victory over Firefighters at Macdonald Park at 2 p.m.

O'Keefes are currently in fifth place but a victory would move them to within three points of co-leaders UBC, Westminster Labatts and Burnaby Villa with a game in hand on Westminster and two on Burnaby.

Westminster tightened up the race Saturday by defeating Villa, 2-1, at MacBister Park in Vancouver to earn their share of the lead.

Burnaby took a 1-0 halftime lead on a goal by Geoff McCormick at 25 minutes but Labatts came back to tie the score on Gerry Heaney's goal with Jack James getting the winner on a penalty shot with two minutes left to play.

Rep Side Strikes Quickly

Trinity Needs Rally to Win

By KEVAN HULL

Glenalmond Trinity College of Scotland recovered its poise to overcome an 11-point deficit and defeat Lower Vancouver Island High School All Stars, 14-11, Saturday in a well-played exhibition rugby match at Macdonald Park.

Trinity College had given up just three points in their previous three games of the five-game tour to British Columbia but couldn't contain the eager Islanders for the first 20 minutes of the match.

EARLY PRESSURE

"I noticed in the earlier games that Glenalmond's scrum set up the majority of the teams play," coach Morris Preece of the All Stars said after the game.

"I figured if our boys put the pressure on from the start we'd be able to stop their backs."

The tactic worked and the visitors were kept off balance as All Stars found weakness tight by the scrum and through the centres.

Inside centre Paul Burgoyne went through the centre before many of the crowd of about 700 had settled. Dave Kyle converted and All Stars led, 5-0.

ISLAND SCORING

Hosts came right back for another try when Kyle, the eighth man, slipped through quickly from a five-yard scrum.

Winger Rod Fiddick completed the scoring for the Islanders, breaking past six tacklers for a magnificent 60-yard run and an 11-0 lead.

However, Trinity College was starting to feel its way against All Stars, picking up a share of the breaks and getting the ball out to the backs at last.

Ewen Kerr, the leftwinger who will play for Scotland against England in a schoolboy international, gave the visitors their first points on a try after some brilliant dribbling by hooker Bob Will.

FIRST-HALF RALLY

George Burt, also selected for the international game, went over on a fine effort from his right-wing spot to bring Glenalmond to within five points at half time.

Trinity College could have had a lead at the end of the first half but for some fine defensive work by centre Tom Carsons who twice beat Glenalmond players to the ball in the hosts' end zone.

Neither team was able to mount an attack in the early part of the second half as play was confined to mid-field but Glenalmond's continual changing of the flow of play started to make the difference.

CAPTAIN SCORED

Captain Tim Fraser-Smith carried over from a scrum play after 20 minutes and centre Chris Wilson broke through to make it 12-11 for the visitors. David Gordon converted Wilson's try for the insurance points.

Although Trinity College had much more finesse, the Islanders were dangerous to the end, getting a good hand from the spectators for their gritty play.

Glenalmond finishes its tour with a game against St. George's School in Vancouver on Thursday. They will travel to the mainland on Monday aboard one of the minesweepers stationed at Esquimalt.

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GLENALMOND — Peter Kirkwood, Bob Will, David Lowes, Andrew Graham, Reid Kerr, Peter Heap, Tim Fraser-Smith (captain), John Fok, Ray Leask, Chris Wilson, Ewen Kerr, Hamish Fringle, Graham Scott, George Burt, David Gordon.

ALL STARS — Bob Nelson (Mt.V.), Tom Wood (V), Brian Mann (Cow), Andy Ruchuskis (Cow), Gary Worth (Mt.D), Dave Kyle (Ct), Steve Warren (OB), Bill Walton (Mt.D), John Lister (Mt.D), Brian Butters (Mt.D), Rod Fiddick (Ct), Tom Carsons (Mt.D), Paul Burgoyne (Mt.D), Les Hudson (Mt.V) Wayne Ruffle (CR).

Houston Builds Slim AFL Lead

From Associated Press

Houston Oilers went ahead Saturday in their battle with New York Jets for the Eastern Division championship and the right to meet Oakland Raiders in the American Football League final.

Sparked by the passing of Pete Beathard, who threw two touchdown passes, and the running of Hoyle Granger, the Oilers scored their first victory in five years over San Diego Chargers, 24-17, in Houston.

Victory left the Oilers with an 8-4-1 record, a half game ahead of the 7-4-1 Jets, who have to defeat the Raiders today to entertain any reasonable chance of a division championship.

TOP HEAVY FAVORITES

Oilers end their scheduled play next Saturday against Miami Dolphins and will be heavily favored to defeat the expansion club. Should the Jets pull even today, they would probably have to beat the Chargers next Sunday to stay even.

Granger, carrying the ball 27 times for 127 yards and one touchdown, became the second Oiler in history to rush for more than 1,000 (1,030) yards in one season. Beathard completed 14 of 24 passes for 188 yards.

In yesterday's other professional game, San Franrisco 49ers earned home-town cheers for the first time in weeks by defeating Dallas Cowboys, 24-16, in a meaningless National Football League game.

PLAYING OUT OPTION

George Mira, who is playing out his option this season because he felt he had stood in too long for high-salaried John Brodie, may have made Brodie expendable with a winning performance which balanced the 49ers' record at 7-7.

Mira was helped by spectacular catching in throwing three touchdown passes. Sonny Randle made a leaping finger-tip reception in the end zone for the first San Francisco touchdown, John David Crow took a short pass between two defenders and then ran 10 more yards for the second and Gary Lewis made a stunning, finger-tip catch of a 32-yard bullet for the third.

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Vancouver Netters Among Top Seedings

SEATTLE (CP) — Four Vancouver tennis players are ranked among the top seedings released Saturday by the Pacific Northwest Lawn Tennis Association in Seattle.

Bob Bardsley is second seed in the men's singles classification behind Jack Neer of Portland. Bob Moffatt ranks fourth in the same category while Robin Elliot ranks fifth.

In junior men's singles classification Mike Bolton ranks seventh. Top ranked is Randy King of Portland.

No women players from Vancouver or other B.C. players were ranked among the top.

Manchester United Consolidates Lead

LONDON (CP) — Manchester United, strengthened by the return of Scottish international Denis Law after a six-week suspension, consolidated its position at the top of soccer's English League with a resounding 3-1 win over Everton Saturday.

While United was collecting two points, its nearest First Division rivals, Manchester City and Liverpool fought to a 1-1 tie.

United now has 30 points in 21 games and, with half its fixtures completed, is two points ahead of Liverpool and City. Law celebrated his return with a goal to supplement those scored by England international David Sadler and John Aston.

In the Scottish League, Glasgow Rangers, current First Division leaders, beat Raith Rovers 10-2, and European Cup winner Glasgow Celtic won 5-4 away to Dundee.

Partick Thistle lost its unbeaten record when it went down 4-0 to Dunfermline.

St. Mirren won 4-0 against Brechin City to keep its lead in the Second Division.

STRING SNAPPED

Tottenham Hotspur, following its mid-week exit from the European Cup Winners' Cup, lost its unbeaten home record in the English League after 29 games. Leicester City, which was in the bottom half of the standings, won 1-0 thanks to a first-half goal by Alan Tewley.

Chelsea slumped to a 3-0 defeat against West Bromwich Albion, which gained only its second away win of the season.

Coventry City moved off the bottom of the standings with a 5-1 win over Burnley, playing without its suspended captain, Gordon Harris. Sheffield United, beaten 1-0 at Nottingham Forest, now is in last place.

The promotion race in the Second Division warmed up with fifth-place Queens Park Rangers — they were in the Third Division last season—beating top-team Portsmouth 2-0. Rangers move into second place, one point behind Portsmouth.

Ipswich, regarded as promotion candidates from the Second Division, suffered a 2-1 upset at home to Middlesbrough.

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ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

Chelsea 0, West Brom 3.
Coventry 5, Burnley 1.
Liverpool 1, Manchester City 1.
Manchester United 3, Everton 1.
Notts Forest 1, Sheffield United 0.
Sheffield 4, 4, West Ham 1.
Southampton 0, Newcastle 0.
Stoke 0, Arsenal 1.
Sunderland 2, Leeds 2.
Tottenham 0, Leicester 1.
Wolverhampton 3, Fulham 2.

Second Division

Aston Villa 4, Norwich 2.
Blackburn 2, Millwall 0.
Blackpool 4, Preston 1.
Bolton 1, Birmingham 1.
Carlisle 1, Hull 1.
Charlton 1, Derby 2.
Crystal Palace 1, Rotherham 0.
Huddersfield 0, Bristol City 3.
Ipswich 1, Middlesbrough 2.
Plymouth 0, Cardiff 0.
Queens Park Rangers 2, Portsmouth 0.

Third Division

Barrow 1, Bury 1.
Brighton 0, Swindon 0.
Bristol Rovers 2, Bournemouth 0.
Northampton 1, Gillingham 1.
Oldham 2, Colchester 1.
Leyton Orient 1, Grimsby 0.
Oxford 2, Shrewsbury 2.
Southport 3, Mansfield 1.
Walsall 1, Watford 1.

Fourth Division

Aldershot 3, Lincoln 2.
Bradford 1, Swansea 2.
Chester 1, Notts City 3.
Chesterfield 4, Crew Alex 1.
Darlington 0, Halifax 0.
Exeter 4, Bradford City 1.
Luton 2, Wrexham 1.
Rochdale 4, Newport 3.
Workington 1, York 1.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

First Division

Aberdeen 1, Stirling 0.
Clyde 5, Dundee United 0.
Dundee 4, Celtic 5.
Dunfermline 4, Partick Thistle 0.
Falkirk 1, Morton 1.
Hearts 3, Aerdrieonians 1.
Motherwell 0, Hibernian 1.
Rangers 10, Raith Rovers 2.
St. Johnstone 0, Kilmarnock 1.

Second Division

Arbroath 3, Cowdenbeath 0.
Ayr United 1, Hamilton 0.
Brechin 0, St. Mirren 4.
East Fife 2, Queens Park 2.
Queen of South 4, Montrose 4.

SCOTTISH CUP

Preliminary Round

Dumbarton 0, Berwick 0.
Elgin City 3, Albion Rovers 1.
Fraserburgh 1, East Stirling 4.
Hawick 4, Vale of Leithen 0.
Stranraer 2, Stenhousemuir 2.

IRISH LEAGUE

Ards 1, Portadown 2.
Ballymena United 3, Bangor 1.
Crusaders 3, Distillery 3.
Derry City 6, Cliftonville 0.
Glenavon 0, Coleraine 0.
Linfield 3, Glentoran 1.

Bay Meadows Racing

SAN MATEO, Calif.—Results of Saturday's thoroughbred racing at Bay Meadows with Monday's entries:

First Race—$2,700, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Indian Temper (Yaka) $19.40 $8.00 $6.80
Clova Lean (Pineda) 4.00 3.20
Eclipse All (Garcia) 6.20
Also ran: Horse Shoes, Beefeater, Anoroc, Space Agent, King's Marshall, Pretty Talk, Grand Prize, Ramblin Fox. Time 1:45.

Second Race—$3,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Pharmacopeia (Caballero) $8.20 $4.80 $3.60
Oh George (Gonzalez) 7.40 3.00
Desert Bluebell (Frey) 4.40
Also ran: Val's Gift, Madam Shiva, Delimation, Mr. Shady, Host O Coast, Bench Dweller, Chantedieu, Gay Moment, Pookie Lou. Time 1:44 4-5.
Daily Double paid $196.00.

Third Race—$3,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Kellejet (Gonzalez) $7.40 $4.60 $3.40
Bo Bo Rob (Lambert) 4.60 3.00
Combien (Pineda) 3.40
Also ran: Seems Merry, Up The Ile, Dance With All, Dusty Spots, Nat's Son, Junior Times, Gringa. Time, 1:10 3-5.

Fourth Race—$5,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, fillies and mares, six furlongs:
Lemon Lady (Harmatz) $39.80 $12.00 $5.40
Sailing Now (Gonzalez) 7.40 4.00
Ma Money (Garcia) 3.20
Also ran: Sonny's Love, Bunny Wife, Perfect Sons, Desert Wing, Stylish Moment. Time: 1:10 4-5.

Fifth Race—$4,500, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile:
Wander Away (Pineda) $6.00 $4.20 $3.20
Up and Around (Harmatz) 14.40 9.00
Poland China (Yanez) 4.60
Also ran: Maxine Miller, Prince Dale, Little Man, Dark Genii, Equal Me Now, Little Jodi, Rebel Hawk. Time: 1:36 1-5.

Sixth Race—$5,500, allowances, three-year-olds and up, one and one-quarter miles:
My Family (Pineda) $5.20 $3.60 $2.80
Temporal II (Caballero) 10.00 8.00
Francisco Dunham (Perez) 4.00
Also ran: Son Blue, Royal Amber, Easter Man, Bally Fudge, Big Arnold, Compelling Force, Exaggerator. Time: 2:04 3-5.

Seventh Race—$6,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile:
Flintridge (Pineda) $12.00 $5.80 $4.20
Persian Rug (Gonzalez) 4.40 3.40
Sonoma Cardinal (Taniguchi) 3.20
Also ran: Cross Arm, J. B. King, Sixpenny Lane, Teach Me, Old Badger, Gandolf the Gray. Time: 1:36 4-5.

Eighth Race — $60,000 added, Bay Meadows Juvenile Championship, two-year-olds, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Idon B. (Pierce) $3.80 $3.00 $2.80
Royal Fois (Pineda) 5.20 4.00
Nible House (Harmatz) 10.60
Also ran: Court Recess, Tite Dough, Rob Win, Rullas Souvenir, Choudrant, Kidron, Glory Hallelujah, River Buoy, French Policy, Bold Link. Time: 1:41 3-5.

Ninth Race—$3,500, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Maxwell G. (Taniguchi) $20.50 $8.80 $5.00
Tundra Prince (Knowles) 9.20 5.60
Keno's Boy (Hernandez) 9.80
Also ran: Mad Flyer, Dicky Dan, Mr. Cushway, Prince Tab, Slamaway, Irish Pro. Time: 1:44 4-5.

Entries

FIRST RACE—$3,000, claiming ($3,000), two-year-olds, six furlongs:
Warrior Bob (J. Gonzalez) 112
King of Momus (H. Jennings) 117
Sees Red (M. Yanez) 114
Rado Rocket (L. Knowles) 114
To Court (W. Freeman) 114
Morning Wake (C. Tohill) 111
Call Me R. B. (R. Caballero) 114
a-Radionautic (A. Pineda) 114
Cake Walker (A. Apodaca) 114
Game's Lucky (J. Planas) 108
Poyahut (A. Valenzuela) 114
Hot Pass (R. Garcia) 108
Foreign Romance (R. Caballero) 114
Abe Fortune (G. Apodaca) 109
a-Call Host (R. Garcia) 108
a—Entry.

SECOND RACE—$2700, claiming ($2,000), three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Cherry Pink (M. Yanez) 108
Chuck Marr (J. Gonzalez) 109
Foam Rubber (R. Garcia) 112
Trilly Bird Song (A. Valenzuela) 114
Rockcrest (R. Yaka) 111
Lemon's Wake (A. Costa) 108
Spring Affair (P. Frey) 114
Peace Signal II (A. Pineda) 114
Diana Tam (K. Steed) 114
Sir Chuck (B. Jennings) 114
Jo's El Dorado (W. Harmatz) 117
Trim Figure (A. Maese) 111
Little Andy (J. Planas) 108
Pushabhai (A. Maese) 120
Catfish (P. Frey) 117
Vain Lass (G. Taniguchi) 111

THIRD RACE—$3,200, claiming ($2,500), three-year-olds and up, one and one sixteenth miles:
Precipitiad (J. Canessa) 110
Desert Dee (L. Knowles) 113
Final Souvenir (M. Volzke) 114
Determined Gypsy (R. York) 110
Unstrung (J. Gonzalez) 108
Id Command (L. Gomez) 114
Blackguard (A. Maese) 114
Diablo Star (J. Planas) 108
Puyallup (W. Freeman) 114
Listo Librar (A. Pineda) 117
Gallant Steel (D. Sanchez) 114
Mr. C. K. (R. Garcia) 108
Murietta (A. Madrid) 114
Ronnie Bly (P. Frey) 114
Manalyte (A. Valenzuela) 116
Red Splendour (C. Tohill) 110

FOURTH RACE—$3,200, claiming ($3,200), three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Celtic Lad (W. Harmatz) 111
Third Alarm (L. Knowles) 111
All Danger (A. Pineda) 111
Say Ya (R. Caballero) 114
Lucky Spoone (A. Madrid) 117
Scomy (M. Volzke) 117
So He Bux (B. Jennings) 114
Gallahad's Knight (R. Yaka) 111
Caen City (M. Yanez) 114
Sofonsified (J. Gonzalez) 109
Royal Lace (R. Garcia) 109
Prize Rebel (A. Maese) 117
Covern (W. Freeman) 117
Tux N' Tails (L. Knowles) 114
Rapid Sue (R. Garcia) 108
Red Top II (P. Frey) 114

FIFTH RACE—$4,000, claiming ($5,000), three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Bosom Buddy (D. Sanchez) 111
Rich Intent (A. Maese) 114
Search Patch (W. Harmatz) 120
First Promoter (P. Frey) 120
Buckeye Bob (A. Valenzuela) 114
Jamu (A. Perez) 114
Get Harmony (J. Palomino) 111
Clear Passage (C. Tohill) 114
Sir Sun (M. Volzke) 114
Edersville (A. Madrid) 117
Prince Nassau (B. Jennings) 114
Indian Penny (R. York) 114
Royal Chariot (J. Gonzalez) 112
War Treasure (W. Freeman) 114
Dover Ed (C. Tohill) 114
Sugar Host (A. Pineda) 120

SIXTH RACE—$3,000, allowance, two-year-olds, six furlongs:
a-Bel Bush (W. Harmatz) 114
Mr. Ruler (A. Pineda) 114
Surrey Magic (J. Planas) 108
Pasco Star (L. Knowles) 111
b-Windy Point (J. Lambert) 114
c-Mogul's Gift (R. York) 111
Damage Control (J. Gonzalez) 108
Mr. Q. D. (M. Volzke) 114
Nasconey (P. Frey) 114
Pappa Ray (J. Trujillo) 114
Breeze Well (R. Yaka) 114
Allbux (J. Palomino) 114
Carlos Comet (A. Baze) 114
c-Marceita (B. Jennings) 114
a-Binbra (W. Harmatz) 114
b-Choppo (J. Lambert) 114
a—Entry. b—Entry. c—Entry.

SEVENTH RACE — $10,000, allowance, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
a—Newaukum (P. Frey) 114
My Lark (A. Pineda) 120
Y-Busher (J. Trujillo) 114
b—French Fox (W. Harmatz) 120
Track Plumber (R. Caballero) 114
Tanfo Gold (J. Gonzalez) 108
c—Tis Cricket (L. Knowles) 114
No Host (A. Maese) 117
Arveedee (D. Sanchez) 114
Baker's Mark (B. Jennings) 114
Doctor Ugo (A. Valenzuela) 111
Nim Lea (C. Tohill) 111
Lucky P. J. (B. Jennings) 111
a—Bonnard (P. Frey) 114
b—Blue Night (R. Garcia) 108
c—Sombolero (L. Knowles) 114
a—Entry. b—Entry. c—Entry.

EIGHTH RACE—$20,000 added, Wm. P. Kyne Handicap, three-year-olds, one mile:
With Destiny (L. J. Durousseau) 107
Lonesome Boy (W. Harmatz) 114
Finance World (M. Yanez) 117
Harold J. (J. Lambert) 120
a-Ascomico (A. Pineda) 120
a-Bigger Grant (A. Maese) 113
Little Matador (J. Gonzalez) 110
Most Rest (P. Frey) 120
Confederate (R. York) 110
Great Pretender (J. Canessa) 120
Ruling Lady (R. Caballero) 108
a—Entry.

NINTH RACE—$3,200, allowance, three-year-olds and up, one and one fourth miles:
Gall's Best (L. Knowles) 117
Wiffaw (J. Gonzalez) 108
Robertms. (D. Sanchez) 113
Fleet Event (W. Freeman) 113
Happy Past (R. Yaka) 113
Indian Tom Tom (A. Valenzuela) 113
Pacifica Moon (R. Hyder) 108
Flaming Mack (J. Palomino) 113
Victory Nasrullah (R. York) 108
A Bold Bay (B. Jennings) 120
Flushing M. (A. Pineda) 120
Jack of Spades (R. Garcia) 108
Triumph V. (A. Goldsmith) 113
Huckster (M. Volzke) 113
Patrol Car (L. Knowles) 113
Bell Field (D. Sanches) 113

Selections

1. King of Momus, Poyahut, Rado Rocket.
2. Jo's El Dorado, Spring Affair, Cherry Pink.
3. Puyallup, Listo Librar, Ido Command.
4. Lucky Spoone, Gallahad's Knight, Caen City.
5. First Promoter, Rich Intent, Sir Sun.
6. Mr. Ruler, Carlos Comet, Nasconey.
7. My Lark, French Fox, Lucky P. J.
8. Finance World, Lonesome Boy, Ascomico.
9. A Bold Bay, Flushing M., Gall's Best.

BEST BET—A Bold Bay.

Tropical Park Results

Results of Saturday's thoroughbred racing at Tropical Park, Florida.

First Race—$2,600, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Sir Pete (Brumfield) $7.60 $5.00 $3.80
Counselor R H (Gavidia) 6.00 5.20
Christophe (Raybal) 34.80
Also ran: Doliforme, Rhiwin, Trasvaal, Despotica, Judya Whiz, Pupi Campo, Lord Lionel. Time 1:12 4-5.

Second Race—$2,800, allowance, two-year-old fillies, six furlongs:
Ladypuggy (Hole) $10.00 $4.20 $3.20
Royal Cage (Richard) 3.40 2.60
Dilettante (Velasquez) 4.00
Also ran: Formal Deb, Romilda, Market Flyer, Nina K., Esthellita Lady, Sermontte, Shy-Bae, Linda Link, Sailors Whisp. Time 1:11 4-5.
Daily Double (5-9) paid $58.20.

Third Race—$3,400, allowance, three, four and five-year-olds, six furlongs:
Lady Ebony (Harrison) $8.80 $3.80 $2.80
Glimmer Girl (Moreno) 5.00 3.20
Turn To Fashion (Perret) 2.00
Also ran: Heathers Girl, Santiaga, Correl Roman, Ring Francis, Reet Lass. Time 1:11 3-5.

Fourth Race—$3,300, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs:
Someticco (Adams) $7.00 $4.00 $3.60
Prisoners Base (Mora) 6.60 5.00
Tableado (Toro) 9.00
Also ran: Ace Of Reason, Hennin 2nd, Top-My-Host, Rorque. Time 1:11 3-5.

Fifth Race—$2,700, claiming, three and four-year-olds, six furlongs:
Tus Mark (Fieselman) $4.40 $3.40 $2.40
Chan Roman (Torres) 8.00 4.00
Uxbridge (Toro) 2.60
Also ran: Mary Lib, Noble Don, Marks Boy, Moosun Girl, Plamor Lanes, Rainbow General. Time 1:11 4-5.

Sixth Race—$3,500, claiming, three-year-olds, six furlongs:
Bolate (Pilar) $16.20 $8.60 $5.00
Bebarjay (Velasquez) 7.60 4.20
Active Alibi (Mora) 2.80
Also ran: Jeffer, Goguerre, Doug Oswald, Bellhoy, Make Ace. Time 1:11 3-5.
Optional Twin Double (6-8) paid $80.20.

Seventh Race—$3,700, handicap, three-year-olds and up, one and one - sixteenth miles:
Mr. Dominic (Hole) $26.20 $15.60 $9.00
Retinlin (Ramon) 17.40 9.00
Birdsofafeather (Guerin) 7.00
Also ran: Prospect Street, Chantalata, Repute, Tal Tal, Sullivan 2nd, William Stevens, Tudor Inn, Weedunit. Time 1:44 4-5.

Eighth Race—$3,600, allowance, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Discurso (Hole) $5.00 $3.40 $3.00
Readership (Kassen) 7.80 4.20
Abdul (Stone) 4.00
Also ran: Gay Minette, Astures, Thunderbird 2nd, Templario 2nd, Fort Drum, F3 Own. Time 1:44 2-5.

Ninth Race —$10,000, added, Bright Memorial, handicap, two-year-olds, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Tough Sledding (Gavidia) $12.60 $6.80 $4.80
Matchless (Hole) 6.20 4.00
J P McCarthy (Richard) 7.80
Also ran: Bright Ray, Energetic, Mix And Mingle, Flying Blind, Glamour Man, Homa The Fair, Royal Robin, Mister Man. Time 1:46 2-5.
Twin Double (6-6-3-5) paid $978.80.

Tenth Race—$2,800, claiming, three-year-olds and up, one and one-sixteenth miles:
Noble Land (Richard) $31.60 $13.80 $5.00
Fleet Deet (Perret) 7.60 4.60
Righteous Teddy (Hole) 4.40
Also ran: Wabush, Split Morse, Vasco Bruto, Hwayatobegaye, Yeled, Sea Ship, Chick Keiser, Ala Fire. Time 1:45 3-5.
Perfecta (11-2) paid $285.80.

All-American Golf Team Selected

NEW YORK (AP) — Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer and Billy Casper have been named to Golf Magazine's all-America golf team for the fourth straight year.

In voting by members of the Golf Writers Association, sportscaters and professional golfers for the eight-man team, Palmer was picked for the driver, Nicklaus for the long irons and Casper for the pitching wedge.

The other sections were: Gary Palyer, South Africa, fairway woods; Frank Beard, putter; Dan Sikes, middle irons; Don Sanders, short irons and Julius Boros, sand wedge.

Rodriguez Wins

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Uptwirled Mustaches Mean Death in India

NEW DELHI (UPI) — Three "untouchables," members of the lowest level of society in caste-conscious India, were shot dead in a central Indian village for wearing handlebar mustaches, press reports said Saturday.

The reports said the victims were slain for defying high-caste Brahmins by walking about the village "with a display of uptwirled mustaches."

Grocer's Nightmare

No Ferries —No Food

By NANCY BROWN

Christmas is a time to turn a food store manager's hair white with worry—Another series of storms causing breakdowns in transportation, or a few instances of human error, can ruin his business and give customers a hungry festive season.

A retail chain store manager outlined the multiple hazards of getting the turkey and all the trimmings onto his customers' Christmas tables.

He is, first of all, dependent upon the ferry from the mainland to bring in new supplies daily.

'SUPPOSE'

"At this time of year, we can have 10,000 customers through the grocery store every day.

"Suppose we get another storm that stops the ferries?"

He said that during the last storms, the staff arrived at the store to find nothing on hand to replenish the shelves.

NOT HAPPY

"We should have truck trailers waiting for us by 8:30 a.m.," he said.

"That way, we're ready for the customers by 9 a.m.

"Believe me, no customer is happy when they've started out early to get the grocery shopping done to find rows of half-empty shelves, and little fresh produce or meat waiting.

UNDERSTANDING

"I must say," he added, "that customers were very understanding when we were able to explain what had happened — they just hadn't thought of it—but I don't know how they would react on Christmas Eve."

It is also quite easy for mainland shippers to miss an item from the trailer truck.

CAN'T COVER

"Anyone can make a mistake," he said, "but in this case it's a mistake no one can cover up."

On past occasions, crates have been put on buses, but there is little room for baggage, and the Christmas Eve rush of gift-bearing travellers would make it impossible to use that means of transportation.

NO MORE ROOM

Ferries would be full by the time errors were discovered, with no room for additional trailer trucks.

Unfortunately, there's still room for errors, even when the goods are safely at the store.

"We have a delivery service, and also a system for taking parcels to a pick-up station for customers.

LAST ON LIST

"This usually works fine, but supposing in the rush the wrong number or address gets dropped into a parcel?"

A customer may be last on the list to have her groceries dropped off, or may have left them for her husband to pick up.

"The mistake wouldn't be found until after the store closed, and suppose a customer had left her shopping until the last minute?"

NO CONSOLATION

He sighed, "It wouldn't be much good trying to tell her the day after Boxing Day that her case was only .001 per cent of all the customers we had served on Christmas Eve.

"She would be a real live person, badly let down when she couldyn d'toa nETAOINNIOAO couldn't do anything about it."

Sentence Appeal Planned

Thomas Braidwood, counsel for former Baptist minister Leslie Millin, said Saturday he would appeal a six-year prison term imposed on Millin last Monday in Victoria County Court.

Millin was found guilty by Judge M. L. Tyrwhitt-Drake on three charges of fraud arising from a land project development known as Chateau Victoria in the Esquimalt Lagoon area.

By Soviets

Aleutian Blasts Ended

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet Union disclosed Saturday it has finished a series of huge "scientific" explosions on the sea bottom less than 100 miles off the U.S.-owned Aleutian Islands.

Diplomatic sources in Moscow said they believed the blasts were at least partly in retaliation for an American series of undersea test blasts off the Soviet-owned Kurile Islands last year.

From Dec. 3 until Friday, Soviet scientists set off what they called "several underwater charges weighing from one to five tons."

NAVAL VESSELS

The tests were held to study "sound propagation in the northern Pacific Ocean and geological construction of the sea bottom south of Aleutians.

Tass, the Soviet news agency, said the tests are completed and the area is free now for foreign navigation. Both Soviet scientific ships and naval vessels took part in the tests, Tass said.

The Soviets complained officially that the U.S. tests near the Kuriles endangered a delicate underwater system which warns against tidal waves. There was speculation that the blasts damaged Soviet sonar installations built to detect submarines off Siberia.

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Cosmos Aloft

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union announced the launching Saturday of another unmanned earth satellite in its Cosmos series.

Cosmos 195 was described as working well, circling the earth once every 90.1 minutes. No specific mission for this Cosmos was announced, as is usual.

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Task Begins

Pioneer In Position

GOLDSTONE, Calif. (UPI) — Pioneer 8, a new U.S. scientific satellite, executed a 40-degree turn in outer space Saturday, putting it in position to transmit data on radiation to tracking stations on earth for several years.

The spacecraft, launched Wednesday from Cape Kennedy, has the primary mission of testing radiation emissions from the sun — the fiery blasts which may prove hazardous to astronauts headed for the moon.

A federal space agency spokesman said the 40-degree turn, executed on radioed command from earth, was necessary to bring Pioneer 8's antenna into direct line with earth and provide a clear radio channel to such tracking stations as the one here on the southern California desert.

When the turn was executed at 2:56 a.m. PST Pioneer 8 was 296,000 miles from earth.

Still Cool of Winter

Pleasantly warm place in summer, Victoria Fisherman's Wharf is chilly spot now—and so are seas where fishermen make their hauls. Wharf is filled with commercial fleet for winter, but fleet will return to open seas in only four months. This is home for many fishermen, who live in their boats all year. —(Jim Ryan)

For Congress

U.S. Tax Boost Heads 1968 List

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Johnson's anticrime and tax proposals have been put at the top of Congress' priority list for when it resumes Jan. 15 by the White House.

The first session of the 90th Congress has been described as productive by White House officials. Their scorecard shows 57 administration proposals enacted, although not all as recommended, and 18 bills which failed to pass.

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Hopes are high that Johnson's 10-per cent tax boost will be approved during the next session.

President Johnson has signed a proclamation which will put the first-year tariff reductions, under the "Kennedy Round" agreement, into effect Jan. 1. Other cuts of equal size will take effect each year over a five-year period. Average cut is 35 per cent.

Johnson also signed into law Saturday legislation boosting the pay of all the government's civilian employees and the military while boosting the cost of mailing letters from 5 to 6 cents.

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The pay raises are back-dated to Oct. 1. The military and civilians bills will cost $2,700,000,000 each.

A bill stripping New York of most of its state lottery sales outlets has been signed. The bill will prevent federally-insured banks and savings and loan association from selling tickets from April 1.

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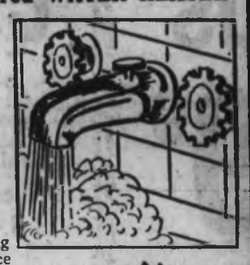

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Week on the Prairies

Home-Seekers Pay 'Ounce of Flesh'

Edmonton is facing a homes crisis according to city real estate officials.

Adolph Hlushback, assistant property manager for a Royal Trust Company branch, charges that some Edmonton landlords are "gouging the public's eyes out" by increasing rents.

He accuses landlords who rent their own properties, not large companies.

Ruby Clark, owner of Fred Clark Real Estate and Rentals, said: "Landlords are starting to exploit the situation and there are always some who want their last ounce of flesh."

Families are most seriously effected because "landlords exploit them."

Mrs. Clark said: "Very few apartments take children, so families are forced to pay high rents to get a house."

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The Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties wants the provincial government to call a temporary halt to land acquisition by Hutterites.

The association's resolution asked that no further purchases by Hutterites, a German-speaking Protestant sect, be approved until "All the future implications of the effect of communal ownership have been thoroughly investigated by a competent commission with representation from this association."

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Highways Minister Gordon Taylor says a provincial spending cutback for 1968 may force cancellation of a proposed secondary highway paving plan in the province.

IN PEACE RIVER

The highways minister told a chamber of commerce meeting the spending cutback would also prevent acceleration of paving the Mackenzie highway. The highway links northern Alberta with Hay River and Yellowknife, N.W.T.

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Construction has been halted at the $75,000,000 Prince Albert pulp mill because of jurisdictional dispute between two unions. The walkout involved 800 men and followed the dispute between millwrights and electricians.

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The three-day Saskatchewan Conference on Human Rights has ended at Regina with the formation of a Saskatchewan committee for human rights and a resolution that the committee take steps to form an association.

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Most wheat farmers will benefit to the extent of a further one bushel a specified acre through the latest sale of 78,400,000 bushels of wheat to China.

G. E. G. Earl, executive assistant with the Canadian wheat board in Winnipeg, said in Regina the previous estimate of Canadian export wheat sales of 300,000,000 to 350,000,000 bushels for the 1967-68 crop year did not include sales to China.

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Canadair Ltd. has been testing a new photo reconnaissance rocket at the Camp Shilo army base near Brandon, over the last three months.

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A University of Manitoba philosophy professor says a student-faculty alliance should be established to assist American draft dodgers coming to Winnipeg.

Art Schaeffer, during a teach-in attended by 150 students, said such a service would form a part of an overall resistance movement to the American involvement in Vietnam.

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The Manitoba Law Society has requested the provincial government to implement immediately its plan to provide government legal aid to indigents in civil and criminal cases.

Court Parade

Darkened Chase Costly

A man who drove on Patricia Bay Highway at more than 80 miles a hour Friday night with his car's headlights out was fined $100 in central magistrate's court Saturday for dangerous driving.

Stuart Smith, 1425 Elford, pleaded guilty and his licence was suspended.

Prosecutor Peter Birkett said Smith drove for six-and-a-half miles and had his lights on for less than half a mile. At one stage, Smith passed two cars on the double centre line.

Smith told police the car's generator was malfunctioning. Smith apologized in court for his driving.

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Gerry Baines, 1150 Finlayson, was fined $50 for obstructing Constable Arthur Riske of the city force early Saturday morning. Baines refused to leave the 600-block Gorge after a fight in a coffee shop.

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James Dobbyn, 1950 Argyle, was fined $100 for driving while his licence was suspended.

Don't Chase —Telephone

Saanich residents, recent victims of Christmas light vandals, have been advised by police not to chase the culprits away to other areas, but to telephone police when they see prowlers, thus providing a chance for their capture. Total loss in broken lights so far is about $160.

Council Topics This Week

dova Bay. The library budget at 7:30 p.m. Monday by Saanich council and at 8 p.m. by Oak Bay council. Central Saanich council will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Oak Bay council will deal with communications on requested amendments to the working agreement with the Oak Bay Municipal Employees' Association Local 511, and the provisional annual budget, Jan. 1 to May 15, 1968, of the Greater Victoria Public Library. The council will also consider a petition from 16 citizens regarding the development of the Mo-Micking Point area.

On the agenda at Saanich council are resolutions on the acquisition of the McRae estate, local improvement temporary borrowing and transfer of unexpected capital funds to reserve.

New health regulations regarding septic tanks will be discussed and municipal engineer Neville Life will give a report on waterfront damage at Cordova Bay. The library budget will also be discussed.

Saanich Group A committees —finance, legislative and commerce; parks and recreation; health and welfare; civil defence; and fire — will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Saanich will also hold a special council meeting at 4:30 p.m. Thursday.

Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt

HOME OWNER GRANT

In order to obtain the Provincial Home Owner Grant for the year 1967, all applications by eligible owners WHO HAVE NOT ALREADY APPLIED FOR THE GRANT, must be in the hands of the Collector before 5 p.m. on FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1967, as the Municipal Hall will be closed on Saturday and Sunday, December 30th and 31st, 1967.

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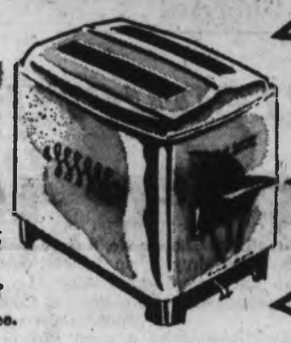

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School Design Challenge To Architects

Architects must design more economical schools, an education department official told a meeting of architects, consulting engineers and school trustees here last week.

J. M. Phillipson, assistant superintendent in charge of administration, said that, unless architects could meet the problem of increasing costs, the future schools would be box-like structures.

During a discussion of school construction problems, Mr. Phillipson said the cost of schools had risen 50 per cent in recent years.

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The main avenue to significant savings, he suggested, was use of co-ordinated and pre-built components, with designs which could be repeated. He also suggested a look at the advantages of electrical heating.

Greater Victoria school board chairman, Peter Bunn, said schools in this country were built "for the needs of yesterday," rather than for future requirements.

He said this wasteful method meant the board had to keep putting up additions, and additions to additions, and these were necessarily more costly.

Freeze Living Cost Not Wages, Albany Suggests

Albany

Premier Bennett should put clamps on the cost of living, not on wages, a Vancouver Island Indian chief said Friday.

"Freeze the cost of living and I don't think the working man will be asking for higher wages," said Chief John Albany of the Songhees band in Esquimalt.

COST LAG

"The working man seeks higher wages when his wife finds products cost more," he said. "The working man is always behind the cost of living today."

"The Social Credit government has done nothing except to rape our raw resources. We cannot progress until we can put out the finished product.

FORESTS STRIPPED

"The government permits our forests to be stripped, the raw material taken away, and returned as manufactured products."

Referring to the decline in shipyard construction, he said, "The people are not losing the industry by asking for higher wages. It is this lopsided Socred government that is driving industry away and encouraging people to come in and take out raw materials to manufacture products somewhere else to sell right back to us."

STEADY INCOME

The chief said he felt the unions in B.C. had done a great deal to develop a steady income and good hours for the working man.

"I worked for 12 hours a day at 10 cents an hour, with no coffee break, no time and a half, in a fish-packing plant in Esquimalt Harbor," he said, "and I give the unions credit for doing way with that kind of conditions.

NO POWER

"But the unions have no power to control the cost of living. B.C. always puts the cost of living up first, then asks the working man to foot the bill.

"It is time the government put the freeze where it should be — on the cost of living."

Volunteers Kept Busy

Langford fire department coped with a fire and accident Friday afternoon. The fire, at Dogwood Trailer Sales, 2630 Deville Road, came first. There was heavy smoke damage, estimated at $3,000.

Immediately after, the volunteers attended an accident on Trans-Canada Highway near Goldstream. Jean Rolland and Mrs. Rolland of Ladysmith were treated and released at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. Rolland's van rolled over and went into a ditch.

New Plane Approved

SEATTLE, Wash. (CP)—The Boeing 737-100 short-to-medium range jet transport has been certified by the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration, Boeing announced. A spokesman said Canadian Pacific Airlines has ordered seven of the twin jets.

Flames Clear Moviegoers

VANCOUVER (CP) — Fire forced evacuation of 200 persons from the Lyric Theatre in downtown Vancouver.

Crews from 10 fire trucks fought the blaze, which was contained in the boiler room of the 70-year-old building. There were no injuries.

Lightkeepers Take Cover

SAULT STE. MARIE, Ont. (CP) — The last lightkeepers in southern Lake Superior have been taken off their stations. Only the lights of a few automatic warning flashers and one or two lakers heading for the Sault locks broke the darkness of winter over the inland sea.

Three, Two . . .

Surprised-looking Santa awaits blast-off that will never come. Much-travelled old boy is draped over 90-foot Atlas missile on U.S. Air Force base near Dayton, Ohio. Santa's safe because missile is now permanent museum piece. — (AP)

Ambitious Operation to Open in February

New Farmer's Market Being Built

By JIM BRAHAN

A new $200,000 Farmer's Market is going up just west of Parson's Bridge on the Island Highway.

The operation, owned by Victoria grower William McBay, 1602 Island Highway, will consist of eight greenhouses, which will cover a total area of 25,000 to 30,000 square feet.

Each of the modern plexi-glass structures will contain automatic fans and sprinkler system.

Locally owned stores will also be erected, including a meat market, fish market, produce market, delicatessen and bakery within a building 115 feet long and 40 feet wide.

Mr. McBay, who now owns a greenhouse near Jubilee Hospital, says he expects the new market, the first of its kind in the area, to open Feb. 15.

Work began last week, when the site was flattened and 2,800 cubic yards of fill was put in.

In the greenhouses, which are to cover about 2½ acres of ground, Mr. McBay expects to grow tomatoes, flowers, and bedding plants.

He is considering having a weekly auction of nursery stock at the market.

The meat market is to feature a glassed-in cooling room, so that customers will be able to see the meat before it is cut.

BELOW AVERAGE

Mr. McBay expects prices to be 10 to 25 per cent below average retail prices.

He says that prospects at the moment are for doubling the size of the development by next fall. "I didn't expect such response to the market," he commented.

The market, which will be open from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily, except Monday's will cater mainly to residents of Langford, Colwood, Metchosin and Sooke.

HEAVY TRAFFIC

"A traffic count," he said, "has shown 20,000 cars going by daily."

The Island Highway, said Mr. McBay, carries more than twice as many cars as the Trans-Canada Highway, and 1½ times as many as the Patricia Bay Highway, excluding the ferry traffic.

Initially there will be parking for 70 cars at the market.

'Damning Labor Won't Help Anything'

Unionists Answer Critic

A critic of organized labor has drawn mixed replies from two Victoria union officials.

"He's pretty loose in his language," said John Schibli, president of the Victoria local of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and secretary of the Vancouver Island Building and Trades Council.

RESPONSE NEGATIVE

"His response to the economic situation is negative," said Victoria Labor Council secretary Laurence Ryan. "Damning labor certainly won't help anything. It could even make it worse."

The two men were commenting on statements made by Victoria manufacturer J. W. Lord in a letter to city council Thursday, condemning labor union leaders for economic depression and praising Premier Bennett for his utterances on controlling wages and working hours.

THE VILLAINS

Mr. Schibli said the villains in the construction industry were skyrocketting prices of building materials and administrative data, such as building plans.

Wages, he said, had risen unappreciably compared with the 200-per-cent rise in material for hardwood flooring and a 150-per-cent rise in the cost of permit plans since 1946.

Mr. Schibli's statement coincided with a recent statement of E. L. Staley of Victoria, president of the B.C. Federation of Labor and a regional representative of the carpenter's union:

"Labor, historically, is made the whipping-boy for rising prices, but it is a ridiculous fallacy.

"Compare the increase in wages with the increase in productivity, and you will see most manufactured articles and materials are being produced more cheaply than they were 20 years ago, and yet are costing much more to the consumer."

Mr. Ryan said, "Organized labor members all agree on the need for a better economy performance. Labor doesn't like to see idle people any more than him (Mr. Lord), but it could be that management is falling down on the job."

Reason for Buying Choices

Experience Shows Women That Quality Costs More

The shopping abilities of women in a chain store don't impress Alan Barker, manager of the Vancouver Island Co-operative Market Board, but Victoria women and food store managers Friday disagreed with him.

Mr. Barker told an Agricultural Outlook conference at Courtenay this week that he had tested the shopping abilities of women and found that they tend to buy dearer products even if the quality was the same as lower-priced goods.

SAME POTATOES

He said he had placed side-by-side in a store two 10-pound packages of potatoes under different labels, marking up the sale prices at 49 and 59 cents.

Although the potatoes were the same, the more expensive packages were the big sellers. When the prices were exchanged on the packages, the more expensive bags were still the best sellers.

PACKAGED GOODS

Mr. Barker said he had had the same results with other vegetables, and had also noted that shoppers persisted in buying packaged goods, although it was cheaper to buy in bulk or from an open bin.

Mrs. Monica Coombs, a past president of the Victoria Consumers Association, agreed that it was possible that women would buy the more expensive potatoes.

QUALITY IMPORTANT

"Quality is very important in potatoes, and women have learned from past experience that they are liable to have a lot of waste if they buy the cheapest potatoes," she said.

"Hollow potatoes, and those with brown spots, are not identifiable from the outside, and women prefer to trust the judgment of the buyers in the stores.

"Reputable stores have always had different lines of potatoes, and women do not buy expensive products as a matter of course, but by either their own, or their friends' trials and errors."

Food retail store managers in Victoria agreed with Mrs. Coombs.

WORD SPREADS

"I wouldn't like to carry out such experiments in my store," said one manager. "It's surprising how fast the news gets around when there's something inferior, and the women start staying away in droves if they figure there's something phony going on."

Woodward's food floor manager Robert Hawthorn said he had found women to be good shoppers.

"I'd have to take a good look at the circumstances of the experiment described by Mr. Barker," he said.

MUST BE REASON

"There must have been a reason for the women buying the more expensive potatoes.

"I imagine the store where the experiment was conducted was a dependable store, where in the past the women had found they did get additional quality for higher prices."

Old YMCA to Face Breakers This Week

Paul Arsens, owner of the old YMCA building on Blanshard Street, says demolition of the four-storey brick structure will begin this week.

Mr. Arsens bought the building at recent sheriff's sale for $52,500.

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Just what will be erected on the site is still uncertain, the owner said. He is waiting to see what is done in the Rose-Blanshard urban renewal area, and what effect it will have on the district in which the YMCA building is located.

Mr. Arsens said bricks in the building will be salvaged, many for use in construction of apartment buildings in other parts of the city.

Take 2.7 Cherries . . .

Bureaucrats Create a Pie

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The United States' food and drug administration has just issued the following instructional leaflets.

"Section 28.1 (A) Cherry pie is the food prepared by incorporating in a filling contained in a pastry shell mature, whole, pitted, stemmed, red sour (tart) cherries (fresh, frozen or canned) that have not been treated with a chemical preservative.

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"The pie contains not less than 2.7 cherries per ounce of net weight of the pie when examined in accordance with paragraph (B) (1) of this section.

"(B) (1) The number of cherries per ounce of pie, as required in paragraphs (A) (1) of this section, is determined as follows: Remove the filling and cherries from the pie and distribute evenly over the surface of a 12-inch diameter U.S. No. 1 sieve. Wash the cherries and the cherry fragments free from adhering material with a gentle water spray.

"Drain the cherry contents on the No. 8 sieve for two minutes in an inclined position (15-30 degree slope). Do not discard the contents of the No. 20 sieve.

"Transfer the whole cherries to a tared pan (a measuring gadget) and determine the weight of all whole cherries. Count the whole cherries and calculate the average weight per whole cherry. Collect the cherry fragments from both the No. 8 and No. 20 sieves.

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"Weigh the cherry fragments and calculate the whole cherry equivalent based on the average weight per cherry. The number of whole cherries plus the number of whole cherry equivalents is the total number of cherries in the pie.

"Calculate the number of cherries per ounce of net weight of pie."

If you have faithfully followed instructions you now have a mathematically correct pie. Uncooked.

RCMP Nabs U.S. Suspect

BURNABY (CP) — A salesman here for the past year, Jerome Sandusky, 40, has been arrested by RCMP on charges involving a $1,500,000 fraudulent U.S. banks and accounts receivable operation.

Seattle FBI officials, preparing extradition proceedings, say another man, James Vander Meulen, has also been arrested in Los Angeles, site of the alleged crimes.

Motorist Dies In Train Crash

FORT LANGLEY, B.C. (CP) — Edwin Arthur Code, 33, of Langley, was killed when his car was struck by a CNR freight train here. Police said he apparently failed to notice the automatic warning signal which was in operation at the level crossing.

Parity Goal

HAMILTON (CP)—The Teamsters' union says it will aim at wage parity with U.S. workers in negotiations with major trucking firms in Ontario next year.

New Racket Has Mafia Stamp

By FAITH ANGUS

Postage stamps have played an important part in the annals of crime ever since their invention, usually in isolated cases of theft, blackmail or espionage. Recently, however, they have attracted the masterminds of organized crime syndicates in many large cities, and for large-scale assignments.

At the National Convention of Postmasters held recently in Atlantic City, it was stated that nearly $2,000,000 worth of 5c stamps were taken by burglars from post offices and finally sold at a big reduction to business companies, apparently controlled by the Mafia.

Most of the burglaries have taken place in Miami, the Northeast and Middle West.

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When asked if the devaluation of the pound will have a drastic effect on the stamp market, several British philatelists have expressed the opinion that it will only be temporary as other devaluations have been.

Many of the scarce issues that are in demand in England will still have to be imported and dealers will have to raise their buying offers by 15 per cent.

The only items that will be lower are new issues that are still available at the post offices. The same applies to any British Territories whose new issues are being sold by the Crown Agents.

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Cook Islands issued a set of six Christmas stamps this year. The designs reproduce Renaissance paintings photogravure printed in five colors.

Lesotho is introducing a new watermark which will consist of the outline of the Basuto hat which appears on the 2½c definitive stamp. The watermark will be used for future new issues and for the present definitive issue when it is reprinted.

Last month, Rhodesia released a definitive stamp in dual denominations 10c-1s and a 2d definitive, the design showing oranges. Both are offset printed by Marsden printers.

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Harrison and Sons Ltd. have successfully tendered for a further five years the main contract for producing British postage stamps.

Values up to 1s 9d of the new definitive issue and the definitive issues for Scotland, Northern Island and Wales will be produced by the photogravure process at Harrison's High Wycombe factory. Special commemorative issues will also be printed by the company.

The Stamp Packet

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

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OUTDOORS

With Alec Merriman

Steelhead On Move

Now is the time to get out on those rivers and get after those winter steelhead. Boxing Day is the traditional opening of steelhead season, but those fighting big sea-run rainbows are already in the rivers.

Actually many rivers on Vancouver Island hold steelhead at all times of the year, but it is the big winter steelhead that swim up just about every Vancouver Island river at this time of year and provide some of the finest fishing in the world during late December, January, February and March, and in some rivers into April and May.

Now, there will be steelhead in every Vancouver Island river. All you have to do is find them . . . and then you have to catch them, a feat which often takes two or three years for your first trophy fish.

But, once you get on to the knack of hooking a steelhead, and get to know a few good fishing spots, it isn't just a dream to catch your limit of 40 in any one season.

But, four or five, maybe 10 steelhead in a season, is more like the annual catch for the average steelheader.

Conditions have been just right to bring the steelhead from the ocean into the rivers. There has been flood water in every river. Then the weather turned cold.

The flooding, followed by a cold snap, seems to be the signal that triggers the steelhead to start their migration up the rivers, to spawn, and return to sea again.

Kelts Untouchable

Sports anglers seek them as they head upstream, before they start to ripen in readiness to spawn. No sportsmen would think of catching and keeping them on their return journey to the ocean, when they are in mending condition and called kelts.

Once you have caught a steelhead you join an exclusive group of fishermen who believe their sport provides the finest fishing in the world.

Even if you don't get many steelhead, it is hard to beat the exhilaration of walking along a river bank on a brisk winter morning. It takes a bit of a kick in the pants to get out of the sack and out to the riverbank in the pre-dawn hours, in ice, snowy and rainy weather, but once there it becomes something special.

First you need some basic equipment and a little know-how.

Rod, reel, line, lures and waders are basics.

You can get by with hip waders that will cost anywhere from $8 to $12, but you will reach more fishing spots and get more fish if you get chest waders, which cost from around $12 for the Japanese makes to $30.

If you are a keen steelheader and want to fish a number of rivers, it is a good idea to have both. Chest waders are a little warm and awkward for rough walking.

Rods and reels are a matter of personal preference and there are three basic kinds of outfits — the most popular spinning reel and eight to 10-foot spinning rods; the Silex type, single-action reels with long stripcasting type rods; and the baitcasting reels, like an Ambassador, for an eight to nine-foot rod.

Beginners should start with a spinning outfit.

Profusion of Reels

You can get Japanese-made spinning reels that will do the job for $10 or $12, and closed-faced spinning reels for $5 to $10. But, you are much better advised to get a good reliable reel.

We use a Dam Super Quick, which retails at just under $40, and a Dam Finessa, which retails at about $32 . . . and these can double as steelheading reels and saltwater salmon fishing reels. We carry a couple of extra spools for each, so we can use different test lines.

The Mitchell reels are also popular and the big 302 and 306, which retail at $30 to $35, may also be used for steelhead and salmon fishing.

The Mitchell 300 is a smaller reel, used mostly for trout, but quite adequate for steelhead. It retails at $25 and up.

You can get solid-glass nine-foot spinning rods for steelheading for between $12 and $20. The most popular steelhead spinning rods (the ones with the big eyes at the butt of the rod) are the nine-foot Fifer 86.6, which retails at about $25; the 8½-foot Fifer 88 and 80, which retail at a little more than $20, the nine-foot Richmake 971 which retails at about $25.

All of the above-mentioned rods could also double as light salmon fishing rods.

Fifteen-pound test nylon is about right for the spinning reels, with from 200 yards to 300 yards of line required. Leaders should be 12-pound test, heavier under flood conditions, and a little lighter in clear low water.

For the Silex reels and the bait casting reels, 19 to 20-pound test line with 12-pound test leaders is about right.

Bottom Best Spot

Split weights, rubber-cored weights, clamp-on weights, pencil lead held by surgical tubing, and a variety of home-made weights are used by steelheaders. Main thing is to get the lures to the bottom of the river and in clear water conditions to make as little disturbance as possible.

Salmon or steelhead roe is the most deadly lure, but wobbler spoons like the Len Thompson, Krocodile spoons, T-spoon, Sneaks, Metric spinners and just plain hook and worms are all popular steelhead catchers.

Warm clothing is essential for steelheading and the most important thing is good headwear.

If your head is kept warm, the rest of you will usually stay warm.

Our choice for headwear is an Indian toque and we like a big one.

We find parkas which cover the ears are rather restricting.

Those tiny beany-type toques may look good, but they don't carry much warmth. Our toque is so big that in extra cold, or wet weather, we can pull it down to our neck. An Indian toque is pretty well rainproof. For about $3 or $4 they make an excellent gift. Woollen gloves are almost a must in cold weather.

An Indian sweater is ideal for warmth, but a bush jacket with a wrap-around pocket in the back is ideal for carrying gear.

Rainwear is essential for steelheading, and because you do a lot of walking when you go steelheading, a light outfit is a great advantage. We have a light plastic outfit that includes jacket and pants, and it can be folded small enough to carry in a coat pocket.

Gear Can Hinder

Compactability is important in steelheading. When you have to hike, bushwack, wade, climb over log jams, and along rocky canyons, you don't want to be carrying a lot of gear to hinder you.

We do, but it all fits in pockets.

We carry two cameras pretty well all the time — one with color film and one with black and white film.

There is a special piece of gear made that makes the carrying of gear easier for steelheaders. It is called a Pintail and is simply a part jacket carry-all with a lot of pockets.

One rubber-lined pocket on the back carries the cameras and lunch.

Another wrap-around pocket goes all around the lower back and in this pocket steelhead may be carried.

It is a good idea to carry big plastic bags — those you get at laundromats are ideal — to hold the steelhead so you don't get the Pintail pocket slimy. There are four or five other pockets in the front of the jacket which are ideal for carrying lures, bait, lines, hooks and other gear, including rainwear.

Because this is worn with shoulder straps, it is no trick to just slip it off your back when you want to fish in one spot for a while.

If you can find these Pintails in local stores, they retail for about $15.

With the equipment descriped you are ready to go steelheading. If you haven't got this equipment it would be a good idea to clip out this column and show it to the Santa Claus who visits your family.

In subsequent columns we will discuss the where and how of steelheading.

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Candle Shop, Main Floor

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Gift Wrap, Third Floor

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Wedding Bells For Survivor

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Names in the News

NEW YORK—One of the two people who survived 49 days in the far north after a 1963 plane crash will marry today, but not to the other.

Helen Klaben, 25, stranded in the frozen wilderness with bush pilot **Ralph Flores**, 42, will wed securities analyst **Robert Kahn**, 35. Miss Klaben lost the toes of her right foot from frostbite.

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TURIN, Italy — Italian parachutist **Giorgio Rinaldi**, 39, was jailed 15 years for spying for Russia. His artist-wife **Angela**,

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Rinaldi

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50, was sentenced to 11 years and their chauffeur, **Amando Girard**, to 10.

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DORKING, England—**Douglas Ritchie**, the **Col. Britton** of Britain's wartime radio, died at 62. While giving resistance groups advice and instructions, he turned the opening of Beethoven's fifth symphony into a V-for-Victory symbol.

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OTTAWA — Two months ago, former mayor **Charlotte Whitton**, 71, had to resign as a city alderman after she successfully sued the city over a lease it issued to an exhibition for Lansdowne Park. In a byelection, she won the seat back, easily defeating three male opponents as one-quarter of the 16,000 voters turned out.

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ROME — Newspapers say **Pope Paul** has been urged by Italian bishops to take a liberal stand on birth control. He got the opinion by sending personal theologian **Rt. Rev. Msgr. Carlo Colombo** to a meeting of the bishops.

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VATICAN CITY—The Vatican said **Pope Paul** has sent Russian Orthodox patriarch **Alexis** a letter expressing hope for eventual unity of their churches.

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NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. — A judge freed **Cheri Hammell**, 20, who lived for 14 months as a suburban housewife after escaping from a reformatory in 1966. She will marry **Shelly Rosewood**, 36, whose three children she cared for while free, and father of her own daughter, born after her capture in September.

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TORONTO — **Basil Dean**, 52, vice-president and publisher of the Edmonton Journal, died of a coronary attack after attending an executive committee meeting of Southam Press Ltd.

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MONTEVIDEO—**Henry Hoyt**, 53, U.S. ambassador to Uruguay, died at 53 of a heart attack.

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LONDON — British cabinet member **Anthony Crosland** announced the government has called off development of the British Aircraft Corp.'s 2-11 shorthaul jet airliner "in light of the urgent need to limit new public expenditures."

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MONTREAL—Canadian newspaper publisher **Max Bell** was "doing extremely well" two weeks after surgery on the inner ear.

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HAVANA — In what was believed to be an unprecedent gesture by the head of a Communist regime, Premier **Fidel Castro** attended a reception in honor of the papal charge d'affaires in Cuba.

□

VANCOUVER—**William Swan**, 83, founder of a large engineering firm involved in major projects across Canada and overseas, will retire as chairman of the board at the end of the year.

Meetings

MONDAY

- Gyro Club of Victoria, Empress, noon.
- Rotary Club of Victoria, Red Lion, 6 p.m.
- Victoria Cymrodorion Society, Senior Citizens' Centre, 8 p.m.

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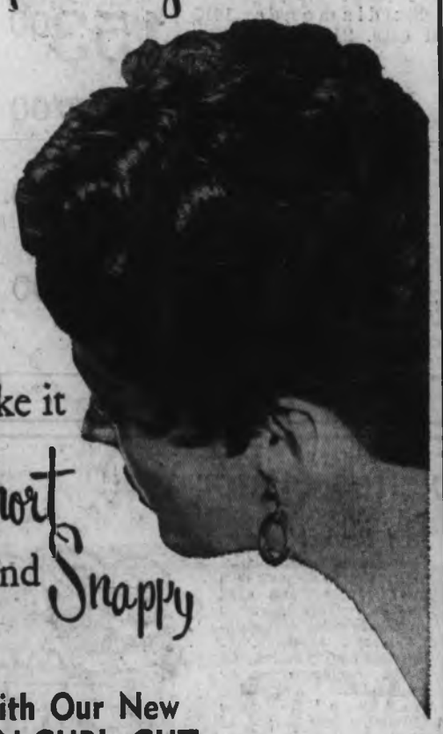

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The Daily Colonist.
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Skaters Walk Water

Water-walkers stumble and slide on Panama Flats in Saanich, where freezing temperatures Saturday partly froze ankle-deep water so that lightweights were able to skate around grass patches and high ground. The forecast: more crispy weather, which may mean less brittle ice.—(Jim Ryan)

Four-Day Week

Meat Men Win Pact

A threatened strike of butchery workers that would have closed six supermarket chains in the Vancouver and Victoria areas was averted Saturday when agreement was reached.

Safeway, Super-Valu and Shop Easy stores in Victoria, which employ about 60 meatcutters, were involved in the dispute.

Details were not disclosed but a spokesman for the 800 butchery workers involved said in Vancouver the agreement was close to what the workers had sought.

FOUR-DAY WEEK

The Amalgamated Meatcutters Union had served strike notice on a Coquitlam store to back demands for a four-day week and a $1 an hour pay increase. The companies in turn served lockout notices at all of the stores.

George Johnston, a spokesman for the union, said agreement was reached after a 20-hour negotiating session Friday and early Saturday and another session Saturday afternoon.

FEW DAYS

He said the union negotiators would recommend acceptance in a vote to be taken within a few days.

He said a strike was averted largely through the efforts of Dr. Noel Hall of the University of British Columbia, appointed as industrial inquiry commissioner by the provincial government.

Hook Finally Unsealed

Too Much Snap In Fishing Trip

What started out as a pleasant fishing excursion in Victoria waters for 37-year-old sports fisherman Raymond Peterson of 150 Montreal turned into a harrowing ordeal for the sake of a snappy sea animal.

While trolling for salmon Saturday with a 20-pound-test leader off Albert Head, Mr. Peterson hooked a 100-pound seal. And the fight was on.

"The seal was damned if he was going to be reeled in, and I didn't want to lose whatever it was I had caught down there," he said.

It took him 45 minutes to fight the seal to the surface, where he put a noose around its head and hauled it into his 14-foot power boat.

"When I found out that I had caught a seal, I didn't want to cut the line and set it free because I thought it might die with the hook in its mouth."

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Mr. Peterson took his catch to a James Bay wharf and summoned the SPCA to give him a hand.

"I couldn't get the hook out of its mouth," Mr. Peterson said.

SPCA inspector Donald McCormick said the three-foot-long seal "was very snappy and we couldn't get anywhere near its head."

So, the seal with hook, line and sinker was loaded into a truck and taken to a veterinarian for tranquilizer shots.

The three-pronged hook was removed, the seal came out of his drugged state, and the SPCA dumped him back in the ocean shortly before 4 p.m.

"So much for that fishing trip," Mr. Peterson added.

Quite Unexpected, Says Canvass Chief

Sooke Rejects Village Plan

The people of Sooke Saturday decisively rejected a proposal to incorporate their community as a village.

Returning officer Herman Williams said there had been a heavy turnout of voters living in the area.

"Most of those who didn't vote were people who owned property but who didn't actually live in the area."

He said 66 per cent of the 778 eligible voters had cast ballots. Of the 515 votes cast, 410 were against the proposal, 71 approved and there were 34 rejected ballots.

There was a majority of 85.2 per cent no votes.

Eric Michaelson, chairman of the action committee which circulated the petition requesting a referendum, expressed disappointment in the results.

"It was quite unexpected and I don't know why people turned the proposal down," he said.

TAX FEAR?

"If all the people who told me they were in favor of it had voted that way the result would have been very different."

He said it is possible that people fear tax increases to pay for local government.

CUTS POSSIBLE

"But taxes will continue to go up, anyway, and with the provincial government running the show we don't have any say in what we pay at all," added Mr. Michaelson.

"At least under local government there are areas were cuts can be made to keep the mill rate down if necessary, and people would know where the money was going.

"Perhaps they'll realize this, and next time the issue comes up they'll vote yes."

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

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Although we cannot unite with our pious correspondent "X" in his devout prayer at the prospect of a harmonious session of the Legislative Council which opens today, we certainly trust that nothing will occur to ruffle the tempers of the members and that moderation will characterize the proceedings of the august body throughout.

The letter of Mr. Joseph Howe of Nova Scotia—an abstract of which we published this week—must have convinced the most obdurate repealer in Nova Scotia of the utter futility of further agitation upon the proposal to dissolve the Union. Mr. Howe's utterances are manly and loyal.

Kingston, Jamaica, Oct. 27—An attempt has been made by some Haytien refugees resident here to assassinate the Haytien Consul in this port.

Eight Houses Hit

Six in Court Following Drug Raids

Six men appeared in central magistrate's court Saturday facing drug charges after police raids on eight houses Friday night in the Greater Victoria area.

The raids, made by RCMP, Victoria, Saanich and Esquimalt officers, were simultaneous with searches in other Vancouver Island centres.

No arrests were made in the Island raids but charges will be laid, Inspector Frank Law of the Victoria RCMP detachment said Saturday.

The Victoria forays resulted in 12 arrests — including five juveniles — with a 13th man appearing voluntarily in court.

Charged before Magistrate J. A. Byers were:

Peter Axehorn, 67 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana at or near Menzies on Nov. 12.

Roy Stewart, also of 67 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana at or near Menzies on Nov. 17.

Trafficking Charge

Michael McGovern, 203 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana Dec. 14.

Edward Sukas, 809 Penwell, charged with having marijuana in his possession, Dec. 15.

Phillip Isaacson, 1032 McGregor, charged with having marijuana in his possession Dec. 15.

Richard Shepherd, no address available, charged with trafficking a controlled drug, methedrine, between Nov. 20 and 21.

All were remanded to Monday for plea. Shepherd was not arrested because he had been ill, prosecutor Rodney Taylor said.

The three charged with trafficking in marijuana were released on $2,500 bail each, Sukas and Isaacson on $1,000 bail each and Shepherd on $500 bail.

Five in Chambers

Two other men were arrested on charges of contributing to juvenile delinquency and were released Saturday morning.

One of the juveniles was charged with trafficking in methedrine. The other four were charged with possession of marijuana. The five — two girls and three boys — appeared before Magistrate Byers in chambers and were remanded to Monday.

Insp. Law said Friday's raids were one phase of a continuing investigation into the use of drugs on the Island. He described Victoria as the main centre of drug activity on Vancouver Island.

Robert Price appeared for five of the accused, and clashed briefly with Mr. Taylor.

When the charge against Axehorn was read, Magistrate Byers asked: "Is he a stranger?"

Mr. Taylor muttered: "He looks a little strange."

Mr. Price immediately objected to the remark but Magistrate Byers apparently did not hear it.

In Nanaimo, a spokesman for the RCMP's general investigating section said no arrests were contemplated during the weekend.

He explained that all orders were coming from Victoria, and police in northern Island areas in turn followed up the details with arrests.

The officer said any people charged on drug counts in the latest sweep would appear in court in the areas of their arrest.

No Island Arrests

Two Offer Tuition Money To Fee-Facing Student

Two Greater Victoria citizens have offered to help pay tuition for an Oak Bay high school student faced with leaving classes because her parents do not live in the school district.

Sharron Ebert, 18, 2377 Zela, a Grade 11 student at Oak Bay senior high school, was told recently that she would have to pay a $240 tuition fee or quit school.

Two citizens called the Colonist Saturday and said they would help. One a man, the other a housewife; they asked to remain anonymous.

The man said he would pay half of Miss Ebert's fees. The woman said she would enlist her friends' help.

"If we can send $100,000 to other countries for education, surely we can help our own people," she said.

The Greater Victoria School Board will consider the case Monday.

WITH GRANDPARENTS

The Public Schools Act says that students whose parents are non-residents of the school district where their child attends school, must normally pay a tuition fee set by the school board.

Miss Ebert's mother is reported ill, her father is working in northern B.C., and she lives with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ebert.

One Victoria lawyer expressed the opinion Saturday that the matter could be settled by naming Miss Ebert's grandparents as her guardians.

Seen In Passing

George E. Willis arranging a tour . . . (A travel agent for 30 years, he has a Broad Street office where he also sells musical instruments. He lives at 850 Flemming Street. He travels on four tours a year and is a spare-time organist.) . . . Tom Farmer studying in the university library . . . Bruce Tiate limping . . . Julie Holme walking with Rob Dunn . . . Janice Jones avoiding work . . . Len Read catching up with his work . . . Judy Dodds getting her licence . . . Gary Davis helping a little boy . . . Fred Francis taking golf notes . . . Reg Lancaster visiting a sick friend . . . Betty Hammond doing her Christmas shopping .

George

Cantata Today

Central Baptist Church's candle-lit cantata, A Song Unending, will be presented at 7 p.m. today, not 6 p.m. as reported in Saturday's Colonist.

Christmas White Or What?

How should we color it? It's anybody's guess, says the city weather office, which won't predict whether Victoria will have a white or green Christmas.

And a look at Christmas Day weather in Victoria over the past 10 years doesn't give too great an indication what it will do this year.

Rain has kept the ground bare during seven of those years, and twice it was mixed with snow. Gale-force winds punched the city twice.

SUMMERY

Last year's Christmas was somewhat like a summer day, with light winds, 46-degree temperatures and seven hours of sunshine.

In the over-all picture, Christmas Days have come with a mixture of cloud, a little sun, varying winds, rain, and low temperatures.

A present surge of Arctic air will bring freezing temperatures to Victoria for the next few nights.

WON'T LAST

Snow was predicted Saturday night for the Nanaimo and Vancouver areas, and expected to be mixed with rain this morning in Victoria.

But it won't last long, the weather office said.

At the Gonzales weather station, the thermometer was supposed to drop to the 35-degree mark early this morning and climb to 42 later today. But temperatures at the grass level were forecast to drop to 25 in the night.

Hope

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Major Post Won

Former Victoria resident Ying Hope, 42, Friday was elected chairman of the Toronto Board of Education.

Mr. Hope is a consulting mechanical engineer who has been a member of the Toronto board since 1965. He defeated the incumbent chairman to take the post.

Mr. Hope attended North Ward elementary and Victoria High School.

His sister is Mrs. Bessie Tang, 2624 Douglas. Their parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hope, long-time residents of Victoria.

Officer Cadet Seriously Hurt

An officer cadet from the Canadian Services College, Royal Roads, is in serious condition in Naden hospital following a one-car accident early Saturday evening. It was one of several serious accidents during the day.

Cadet R. C. McGuire, Ottawa, has serious head injuries suffered in the accident at 7 p.m. when the rented Volkswagen he was riding in went out of control on the Old Island Highway near Christie Point, crossed the road and smashed into a power pole.

GOOD CONDITION

Cadet Karol Madera, the driver, was described as in good condition.

A 16-year-old motorcyclist, Frank Miller of 4580 Markham, suffered a possible fracture of the left leg in an accident with a car Saturday morning at Hillside and Quadra.

Police identified the driver of the car as William Montgomery of 3212 Service.

DUNCAN MEN

Two Duncan men were injured when their car skidded off the icy Malahat Saturday morning and struck a rock. Their car then struck another Victoria-bound car.

Marvin Huston, 22, suffered head injuries and is in fair condition in St. Joseph's Hospital. Murray Bennett, also 22, was treated for abrasions and shock.

The occupants of the other car were not injured.

PEDESTRIANS HURT

Two pedestrians, Alex Niketas, 35, of 1129 Leonard and his son, Constantine, 2½, were slightly injured when they were struck by a motorcycle operated by Martin Gerlach of Work Point Barracks, at Broughton and Government at 4:36 p.m.

Thieves Take Machine Cash

About $149 in silver was stolen from a cigarette machine in a break-in late last week at the Victoria Curling Club.

Snip-Snip Fund Blooms

Today is the day to get Christmas holly for the price of a donation to the Colonist 500 fund.

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A holly orchard at 940 Clark Road, Brentwood, will be open from 10 a.m. onwards for pickers who bring clippers, cartons and 20 cents for each pound of holly they pick.

The money will go to needy families this Christmas.

The heavily-berried holly, unsuitable for shipping because the berries bruise too easily, is available because the trees are being thinned and topped.

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Saturday a few pickers turned up a day early and $8.50 was handed over for the fund.

Youth Interest Target

Marchers Will Hold Rally

Organizers of the Nov. 25 Miles for Millions community march are planning a rally Jan. 13 aimed at carrying on youthful interest in overseas development.

Bob Taylor, University of Victoria student who headed the march organization, said Saturday that the mayor and reeves of Greater Victoria municipalities will be invited to participate in the rally.

Meantime, said Mr. Taylor, a march committee will meet this Thursday with officials of Project 100 in the office of L. J. Wallace, deputy provincial secretary.

Project 100 is a B.C. Centennial project which will send education vans to underdeveloped Commonwealth countries. Money raised in the Nov. 25 march will aid Project 100.

The Thursday meeting will discuss continuing projects stemming from Centennial events, said Mr. Taylor.

Montreal's House of Joshar presented a smart showing of coats during a spring preview in Montreal. Two modelled at left are for any weather, the bold plaid one styled with Mao collar and the other one featuring variegated stripes. Fit and flare silhouette is seen in the three-dimensional ribbon stripe coat, second from right, while wrap style coat in white is belted.—(CP Wirephoto)

Boy Sopranos Sing Carols

Forty-five little boy sopranos from Glenlyon School enlivened the Empress Hotel and graced the stage in the ballroom when they sang Christmas carols for the Musical Art Society annual tea Saturday.

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Mr. Don Woodworth, choir leader of St. John's Church conducted the singing which was very sweet and included French, German and Czechoslovakian carols. Mr. Peter Bishop was accompanist. Favorites among the audience in the packed ballroom,, were "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," "Rocking" and the Bach "Hallelujah."

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Colored baubles, holly, and a beautiful tree formed the decorative motif while the audience sat in candlelight for the carols.

Mrs. G. Watt, president, introduced headtable guests who included Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. J. Durrand, Mrs. T. J. Smith, Mrs. J. Barraclough, Dr. Roger Manning, Mrs. G. Stocker, Mrs. Robin Wood, Miss Mary Adamson, and Alderman Lily Wilson.

Club

PYTHIAN SISTERS

Members of Capital City No. 35, Pythian Sisters, will celebrate the festive season in the K. of P. Hall, 723 Cormorant Street on Tuesday, Dec. 19 with a supper at 6:-15 p.m., followed by a short meeting at 8 p.m. and a social evening and exchange of gifts. Members are reminded to bring canned goods for hamper for the needy.

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Hospital Alumnae

Bursary Loans Made Available

St. Joseph's School of Nursing Alumnae has this year made available to its members the sum of $2,000 from the Sister Mary Anna Bursary Loan Fund.

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Awards have been made to Miss Margaret Duncan, who is continuing her studies at U.B.C.: Miss Janet Eaton, who is taking Public Health Nursing at U.B.C. and Miss Sherilee Walters, now of Hamilton, who is completing requirements for her Bachelor's degree at Ottawa University.

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This brings to nine the number of graduates assisted by the fund which was instituted in 1960 as a Diamond Jubilee project, and which honors Sister Mary Anna, S.S.A., Foundress of the Alumnae.

Social and Personal

Mr. Dougal Fraser, who has been studying at the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art in London, England, will return home on Tuesday to spend Christmas holiday with his mother, Mrs. R. A. Fraser, 1430 Newport Avenue. He will return to London on January 8.

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Cocktail Party

Mr. Leslie C. Parkinson, manager of Empress Hotel, and Mrs. Parkinson entertained at a cocktail party for department heads and their wives on Saturday evening in the new vice regal suite.

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Wedding Guests

Here for the wedding of Roberta Jean Godtel and Mr. William George Gault at First United Church, Saturday afternoon, were Mrs. M. McKenzie, Ceylon, Ont.; Mrs. O. Bailey, Hanover, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs. R. Durck, Cowichan Station, B.C.; Mrs. A. Soward, Mrs. J. Veregin, Miss P. Veregin, all of Vancouver; Mrs. I. Peters and Mrs. S. Kirkwood, Union Bay, B.C.; Mr. and Mrs. George Sanderson and family, Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Howard Sinclair, 3508 Henderson Road, announce the forthcoming marriage of their only daughter, Diane May, to Lieut. Sean Desmond Carrigan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carrigan, Edmonton, Alta. The wedding is to take place at 7 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 30, at St. Patrick's Church with Father A. E. Leonard, officiating.—(Miss Sinclair's photo by Campbell Studio)

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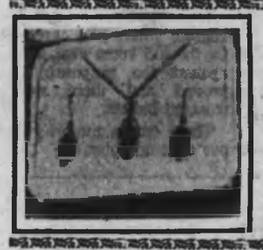

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SUPERPORT MUST COME

Slightest Delay Means U.S. Will Corner Pacific Trade

By EDWARD M. CHISHOLM

Edward M. Chisholm, president of Chisholm Industries Ltd., was an originator of the Roberts Bank superport idea, now being seriously discussed by provincial and federal authorities. As a businessman, he has first-hand knowledge of the world's great ports, and in recent years has devoted much time to developing and championing the B.C. superport concept. Mr. Chisholm was a pioneer in modern communications in Western Canada, and is one of the founders of the Bank of British Columbia.

A superport at Roberts Bank would make Juan de Fuca Strait into the greatest marine freeway in the world.

And Victoria, with its great drydock and its skilled workmen, could become the repair centre for hundreds of ships.

Chisholm

But Seattle is already building facilities that could attract much of the lucrative bulk-loading trade, and if federal waffling doesn't stop soon, B.C. may lose its rich opportunity, perhaps for decades.

When the B.C. government announced plans last spring for a deep-sea port off Roberts Bank, it opened the way for debate on the need and feasibility of the project.

Unfortunately, however, it also opened the way for innuendo, and bitter and purely subjective argument.

When former Transport Minister John W. Pickersgill visited Vancouver, he did not find fault with the project, but he did say that it was premature. He didn't say how premature — 10 years, 100 years or a few months.

A different tack was taken by the new minister, Paul Hellyer, when he visited Vancouver in October and said the federal government would now take over the project.

He said Ottawa was willing to spend $50,000,000 over a 30-year period, but gave no details as to when or how much at a time.

The Roberts Bank project should be started immediately, and it should be carried out without federal participation. The project is too important and too urgent to wait for the machinery and politics of Eastern Canada.

Obviously, companies like the CPR, Vancouver Wharves and others will not welcome competition that would end their monopoly positions. They would have us believe that what is good for them is good enough for B.C.

The CPR's decision not to rebuild Pier D in Vancouver after the 1936 fire may have been an economical move for the company, but who will argue that the inaction in this case has been good for Vancouver or B.C.?

We could recall how vested interests vehemently opposed the B.C. government's proposed ferry system in the last decade. Who will deny now that the system has become a major asset to the industries and people of this province?

Our Economy Depends On International Trade

Mercantile trade has for years been of vast importance to B.C. In fact, our economy has depended to a large extent on international trade. We need to maintain healthy and increased trade and a favorable balance of trade and payments.

We have the materials to export, and there are worldwide markets waiting, but do we have the proper facilities?

We are much like the Phoenicians on the eastern banks of the Mediterranean, with their goods behind them and their markets in front of them.

Our province sits on the rim of the Pacific Ocean, which occupies almost half the earth's surface. Around its perimeter are unlimited markets. Behind us is a great supply of goods and materials. We just need to reach out and grab this great opportunity.

But if we don't make a grab pretty soon, we'll be too late. Seattle is now building Pier 86, in a mighty bid to capture a larger share of the grain export trade.

This pier, scheduled for completion by the fall of 1969, is the kind of thing B.C. should have on its own drawing boards. It will hold 5,000,000 bushels of grain on the east shore of Elliot Bay. It will include an offshore loading berth of 1,000 feet, which will handle the largest grain tankers afloat or in the planning stage.

The projected loading capacity of 3,500 tons of grain an hour will make B.C. grain elevator operators shake their heads. Add to this three miles of tracks, storage provision for more than 100 railway cars, and a water depth of 80 feet, and you get an idea of the competition they are building for B.C. Why then do we not have plans on our drawing boards?

Grain Exports Rising At Increasing Rate

Our own projected exports of grain show an increase of almost 100 per cent in eight years, and present capacity will require, within two or three years, a 50-per-cent increase.

The B.C. Research Council report to the National Harbors Board states that "while the new Saskatchewan Wheat Pool will increase capacity sufficiently to handle grain until 1970, beyond that time further increases will be needed."

It is obvious that planning to take care of our increased grain exports must be based on Roberts Bank.

It is also obvious that the B.C. government, instead of waiting for any federal 30-year program, should go it alone. Otherwise, grain shipments will be leaving from an American, not a B.C. port.

The competitive spirit of Seattle is understandable. Why should it not challenge Vancouver, which for years has been the largest port on the Pacific Coast? Last year Vancouver handled 22,000,000 tons of dry cargo, more than the total of all other Pacific Coast ports put together.

If the superport is to fulfill its destiny and become a great and beneficial resource for Western Canada, it must be planned from the beginning to encompass the total concept for all time.

The plan must envisage the acquisition by the provincial government of sufficient acreage above the high water mark, and the provincial government must protect and maintain its basic rights on the foreshore and water lots extending below the high water mark.

Private Land Speculator Parasite on Our Backs

Private land speculators have no place in this picture. The private land speculator is a parasite on the backs of our free enterprise system that adds nothing to the basic economy of the province as a whole. He only creates an artificial shortage and inflates prices.

To put it more simply and in a general statement: In a project of this kind, the millions of dollars which would ordinarily go to the land speculator must be kept in the hands of the taxpayer.

We must take particular cognizance of the fact, even with the extensive expropriation powers of the provincial government, they do not have the power to expropriate real estate owned by private railways and some public utilities. It behooves our provincial government to put itself immediately in a position of uncontestable control of approximately 10,000 acres above the high water mark and 10,000 acres of foreshore.

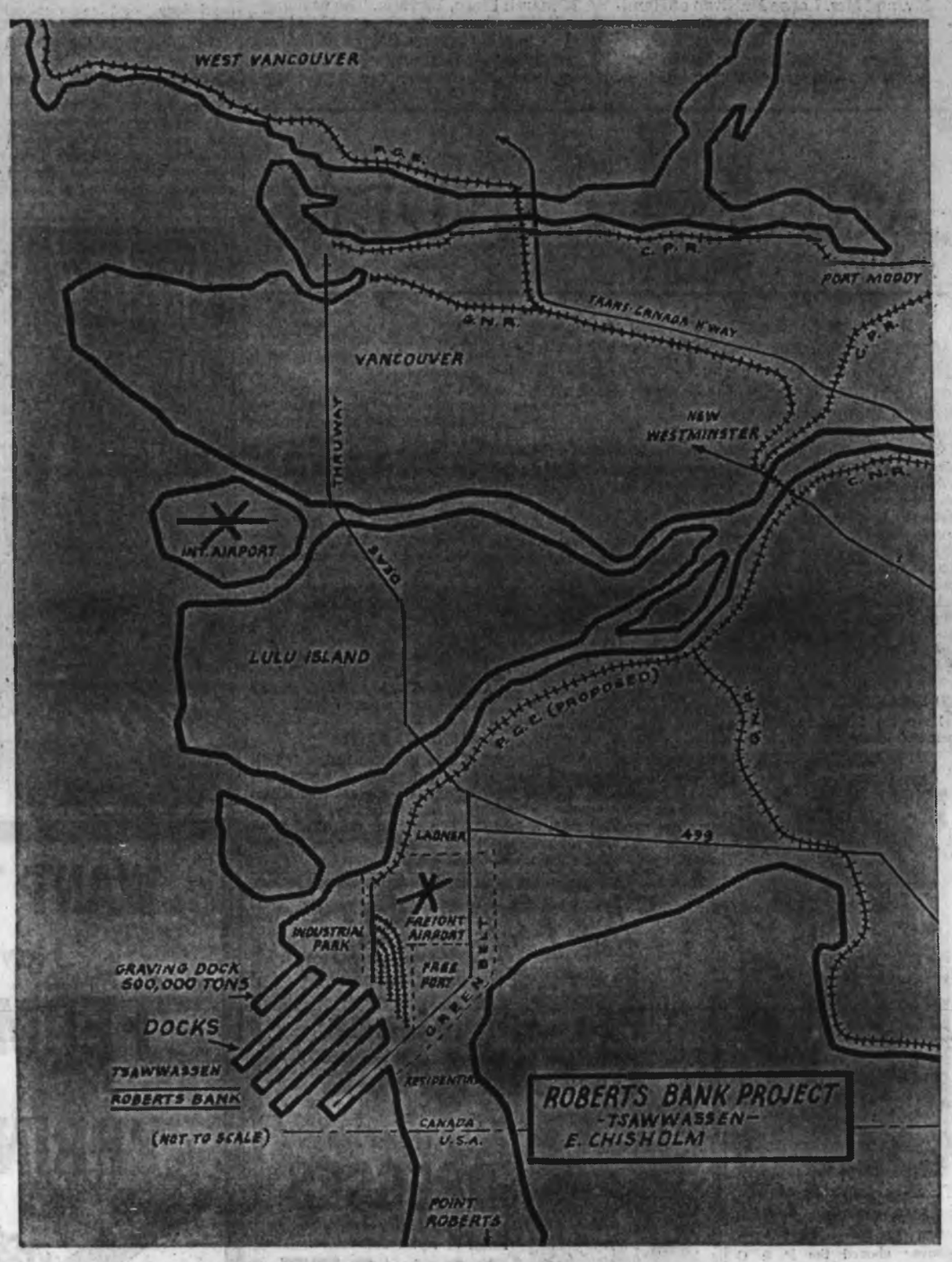
This property should extend north and include that portion of the Fraser River at Canoe Cove. It is suggested here that the portion of the land which may not be brought into active use in connection with the port, for some time, be leased back at agricultural rates to the farmers who now own it.

The main components which should go to make up this great superport are (apart from the docks and their ancilliary facilities) a free port area, an industrial park for secondary industries, oil refineries, etc. It should also be adjoined by an all-freight airport and, last but not least, the whole area should be surrounded by a green belt which will stop for all time any encroachment of commercial or residential areas.

This green belt can be kept in agricultural service, either leased to private farms or used by the department of agriculture as experimental farms, or operated in conjunction with our universities.

The necessity of all this acreage may well be questioned, but in this day of automation and high efficiency, low-cost space can often mean the difference between economical or uneconomical operation. We live, today, in the era of single-floor plants, and any process which involves piling and unpiling merchandise vertically, rapidly finds itself non-competitive.

Not only must a superport have space, but just as important, it must be accessible. The old-fashioned ports today are more often than not constricted as to access.



Accessibility Port's Key Feature

Combined shipping and industrial area at Roberts Bank would be designed around its requirements: Deep water, land and air transportation, industrial space, free port. Map indicates chief features of project, which its proponents say would eventually handle huge tonnages of all kinds of cargo between North America and the Pacific rim.

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Beautiful City 'Strangled' for Ships

San Francisco's famed harbor demonstrates chief problems of all present West Coast ports: It is hemmed in by surrounding city; its access by land is limited and almost impossible to improve; its berths and approaches are about 30 feet too shallow for giant tankers and bulk carriers that are most economical to build and operate.

Patchwork Compromise Irritates Situation

Any attempt to offset those basic and natural deficiencies results in a patchwork compromise which only tends to irritate the situation. Burrard Inlet is a classic example of this situation. Seattle and San Francisco also suffer badly. There is simply no other port that has the fantastic opportunity that Roberts Bank has for development.

B.C. has always been a large exporter of wheat and lumber. However, such other bulk materials as coal and potash have tremendous growth potential. Today, with the container evolution right at hand, B.C. has within its grasp the possibility of becoming the Pacific Coast terminal of what may well form a land bridge between the Pacific and the Atlantic Oceans, and in many cases by-passing the Panama Canal.

Containerization is the technique of packing and shipping goods in rugged metal boxes of standard size. The size of the containers is eight feet square, with a variation in length from 20 to 40 feet. Without unpacking, they can be off-loaded from a ship, placed on a truck trailer or railway car, or into a freight aircraft, transported overland and, in the case of the Pacific-to-Atlantic rail trip, can be reloaded onto a ship for the Atlantic passage.

Already, publicly announced plans for building new container ports, renovating old facilities and constructing specialized container ships, run into the billions of dollars.

Province Must Join In New Technique

It is imperative that B.C. become part of this new technique of the transport of world goods. A case in point: a major containerization port on the U.S. east coast at Elizabeth, N.J., will have shortly, under jurisdiction of the New York Port Authority, 1,000 acres set aside as storage and handling space for containers. Compare this with the imagination of Ottawa, which is setting aside 40 to 50 acres for a so-called container facility in the tide-swept waters of West Vancouver, which is on the very fringe of a great residential development.

B.C. must consider Roberts Bank in terms of the largest port on the North American continent. The volume of this traffic is not related to the population of Canada versus that of the United States. It is only related to the facility, the efficiency and the cost of a port to the shipper. It is quite within practical considerations that Roberts Bank could handle as much traffic in containerization and bulk as a large seaport in the U.S.

Compare the Port of Seattle to Vancouver. With approximately 1,800 deep-sea arrivals a year in Vancouver, it handles 10 times the cargo of Seattle, with approximately 1,400 arrivals. Another interesting comparison is the Port of Hong Kong, which handles 6,000 deep-sea ships a year, but only 2,000,000 tons of cargo, against 22,000,000 tons in Vancouver.

Entire Continent Potential Customer

What we are saying here is that the superport at Roberts Bank can handle cargo for the whole of the North American continent, as Rotterdam handles cargo for the whole of Europe.

The consideration of an all-freight airport at Roberts Bank is justified by various factors, and particularly its relationship to containerization. The standard containers can be unloaded directly from a ship, and without further handling can be placed aboard the large freight aircraft—or aboard a truck, a railway car or another ship.

It naturally follows that a superport, to be worthy of its name, must cater to and have in close proximity all types of transportation—freeways, a variety of railway lines, seaport and air freight, and only Roberts Bank can meet all these requirements.

It is interesting to note that, while passenger air traffic is on the upswing and aviation experts predict air passengers will treble in 10 years, the same experts predict that the volume of air freight in this same period will multiply by nine times.

It is simply a fact of life that air freight and air passengers do not mix well at a common airport. The air freight customer is unavoidably jockeyed into the position of being a second-class citizen in relation to the passenger.

It is also a fact that an all-freight airport terminal does not require a $25,000,000 administration building. Roberts Bank is close enough to Vancouver International Airport to come under a single control tower and single control of air space.

Free Port Necessary To Whole Operation

Any great port facility should have within its confines a free port. A free port is, from a practical viewpoint, a huge bonded warehouse covering a large area, in this case, perhaps, 100 acres or more. Within this area, imported goods can be landed and, without payment of duties or taxes, can be further manufactured, be re-exported, or on payment of duties, enter the domestic market. Within such an area, goods can also be stored or displayed.

In British Columbia, there is a shortage of reasonably priced industrial areas. In many cases, available industrial sites for secondary industry, due to land speculation, have now reached values that make it uneconomical for any but the high-profit and high-unit-value operations.

If there is a single weakness in the economy of B.C. and Western Canada, it is surely the absence of strong secondary industry.

We are over-endowed with natural resources, and there are too many of those among us who would appear to be content to be drawers of water and hewers of wood for all time. However, the time has arrived when we must throw off this type of thinking.

We are exporting increasing quantities of iron ores and copper concentrates. We must extend our efforts to bring the day closer that we will have within our province iron smelters and copper smelters which will in turn create secondary industries to forge these materials into finished products for the benefit of all our citizens.

The function of an industrial park within the Roberts Bank project could well form the necessary impetus and encouragement to build our secondary industries in British Columbia, if properly handled and administered by the provincial government.

Doing The Town

with DOROTHY FRASER

A Christmas card from M and E to you . . .

In this . . . our last column before Christmas . . . we're turning over Madam and Eve's space to two charming "guest columnists" . . . whose versified message is right in the blythe M and E spirit . . .

"It's been a wonderful year
And we've truly enjoyed being here
Between racks of colours, and strings of beads
Helping our friends with their fashion needs.
Our shop has been crowded with dresses galore —
And in the New Year, we'll have even more!
Thank you for being such wonderful friends.
To all customers (who ARE friends in the end)
Merry Christmas to you and a Happy New Year
Madam and Eve hopes to see you in the coming Leap Year."

Pam and Ruth

P.S. According to tradition, on Feb. 29th, if a young lady proposes to the man of her choice and he refuses, he must buy her a new dress. Console yourself by shopping for it at . . . **Madam and Eve Shop, Trounce Alley, 383-7177.**

Hemlines on some of Sarmi's ballgowns are above the knee in front . . . sweep to the floor in back; others zig on one side, zag on the other.

Magnificent books for Christmas giving . . .

It was with the greatest difficulty that we tore ourselves away from the Book Nook the other day . . . after viewing the brand new books just received in time for Christmas . . . books of surpassing beauty and interest which any discerning family would welcome with joy! . . . There's "The Great Cars" by Ralph Stein . . . men, especially, will drool over this one! . . . Stein has narrowed the wide world of autos to the 25 greatest marques ever built . . . and Tom Burnside has caught the unique essence of their appeal in numerous photos . . . $14.95 . . . "North American Indian Art," authorized by a distinguished Russian ethnologist, is full of marvellous color plates which look three-dimensional . . . A superb volume, printed in Europe, it's one of the outstandingly important books of the year . . . $15.95 . . . "The Coffee Table Book of Astrology" is the perfect coffee table book to entertain your friends . . . Gives detailed analyses of famous people according to their zodiac signs . . . delves into the mysteries of the stars . . . $9.95 . . . And for the friend who dotes on San Francisco . . . "San Francisco, City on Golden Hills" is a must! . . . A real gem, beautifully color illustrated, which captures the mystique of the city measured by "eyes, ears, mind, heart . . . and love!" . . . **The Book Nook, 10 Centennial Square 386-6813.**

There is never beauty in the ridiculous, only a thing of beauty is a shock forever, writes Coco Chanel.

Christmas at de Goutiere . . .

Nothing says "I love you" more eloquently at Christmastide than the gift of a piece of jewellery . . . no matter how small and relatively inexpensive it may be . . . as long as it's carefully chosen, and beautiful . . . And these two qualities apply to absolutely everything you'll find at de Goutiere, on Estevan Avenue. There's the most exquisite gold and jade brooch in the shape of a Christmas tree . . . priced at $150 . . . and destined to make some lucky woman catch her breath with delight on Christmas morning . . . A beautiful modernistic sculptured gold brooch with five diamonds for the woman who enjoys wearing something different . . . Dainty jade and gold bracelets . . . a pair of delightful jade earrings in the shape of Japanese gold fishes . . . Cultured pearl necklaces and earrings . . . jewellery set with precious gems of all kinds . . . de Goutiere's selection of gold charms is pure joy . . . They range in price from $5.95 up . . . include antique cars, typewriters, golf clubs, tennis rackets, starfish, Victoria's own "Cadi" . . . royal coach . . . and far more than we can possibly list here . . . Gold bracelets from which to hang these beautifully-made charms may be had from $27.95 up . . . No matter how much . . . or how little . . . you wish to spend, you'll find the perfect, exquisite piece of jewellery at **de Goutiere Jeweller, 2534 Estevan Ave., 386-1633.**

To pack a white dress, always turn it inside out and place it in a plastic bag the exact size of the suitcase.

This is for you, gentlemen! . . .

We keep hearing, from friends whose husbands shopped at Miss Frith's last Christmas, how completely delighted they were with the results . . . so this year we're passing along the good word to the rest of you husbands . . . At Miss Frith's you'll find lovely things for every woman on your list . . . be she wife, daughter, mother, sister . . . or anything else for that matter . . . Dresses, blouses, skirts and slims . . . co-ordinated sportswear . . . Jewellery, handbags, gloves and hosiery . . . Dreamy beaded sweaters . . . luscious housecoats, robes and peignoir sets (matching nighties and negligees, in case the term is unfamiliar to you) . . . Glamorous cocktail and evening dresses . . . And if you're timid about such things, just ask for Mr. Sinclair or Mr. Nash to help you . . . they both have a sort of built-in radar when it comes to knowing the kind of thing your lady will love at first sight . . . If, despite all this help, you still can't make up your mind . . . get a Miss Frith gift certificate and let the little woman select her own pretties . . . You can open a budget charge account with nothing to pay until next February . . . stretch out subsequent payments without carrying charges . . . Miss Frith gift wraps your purchases . . . have customer parking at their Fisgard St. entrance . . . **Miss Frith Millinery & Fashions, 1617 Douglas St., 383-7181.**

Pour a few drops of olive oil and add a little soap to the rinsing water for washable doeskin, chamois, kid or pigskin gloves.

The timeless elegance of fine furniture . . .

If you've been toying with the thought of new living room furniture to beautify your home . . . now is the time to visit Home Furniture and see their new shipment of Baetz and Coombe chesterfield suites and occasional furniture . . . These two manufacturers are makers of the finest furniture in Canada . . . and believe us, it's very handsome indeed! . . . Chesterfields and chairs have solid mahogany carved frames . . . are covered with the finest brocades . . . There are beautifully grained mahogany cocktail and coffee tables . . . in various sizes and shapes . . . Nests of tables . . . tier tables . . . drum and end tables . . . everything you need to create a charming living room of timeless elegance . . . Home have also received some new drop-leaf secretaire desks in mahogany or walnut . . . with or without bookcase tops . . . These have serpentine fronts with three or four big drawers, and little drawers and cubby holes in the desk part . . . There's a charming little lady's desk in yew wood with skiver top (genuine leather with gold tooled border) . . . A very unusual Colonial maple organ desk with hand carved handles, three drawers and a couple of book shelves . . . A beautifully constructed solid mahogany etagere to hold your small ornaments . . . and some delightful little English corner cabinets to fill that "difficult" corner of the room . . . See them all at **Home Furniture Company, 825 Fort St., 382-5138.**

It's a little-known fact that the so-called ten-gallon hat will actually hold only about three-quarters of a gallon.

See Wilson's new cruise clothes . . .

Newly-arrived dresses at Wilson's are creating a bit of a sensation . . . they're so colorful in a nice, lady-like way . . . and so very, very chic! . . . Women who are off on a cruise, or heading for warmer climes in the weeks ahead will be especially interested in the Moygashel linen dresses with their matching Ballantye cashmere cardigans . . . Skye blue, rose gold and green . . . There's even a striped cardigan containing all of these colors which can be teamed with any one of the dresses . . . There are new Liberty pure silks with patterns or stripes in glorious colors . . . Long-sleeved tie silks . . . Polished cottons from Dynasty . . . Gay pant dresses with stand-up collars and chain belts . . . a 2-piece terylene dress from England which you just have to wash and hang up . . . great for the traveller! . . . A new shipment of blouses . . . silk jersey suit blouses with cowl neckline . . . romantic frilly white blouses to top a plain skirt . . . These latter are a nice thought for gift giving . . . in fact you'll find a wealth of gift ideas at Wilson's . . . where you can shop leisurely and in comfort . . . and have all your purchases beautifully gift wrapped . . . and mailed, if you so desire . . . at no extra cost! . . . **W & J Wilson Limited, 1221 Government St., 383-7177.**

Our sincere wishes to all our readers for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We'll be back with you in January!

Candy for Christmas . . .

This is one time of the year when . . . no matter how abstemious about sweets you may have been the other eleven months . . . you'll want plenty of candy on hand to help give fillip to the Yule festivities . . . Welch's, as usual, have special candies for the Christmas season . . . and being Welch's they're naturally as good and wholesome to eat as they are to look at . . . Welch's Brilliant Christmas Mix, of colorful, hard candies, is perfect for filling tree containers, or to help stuff stockings . . . There are bright red striped candy canes in various sizes to hang on the tree . . . or top the parcel containing a child's gift . . . Rich French Creams will please the sweet-toothed grown-ups . . . as will Welch's delicious Chocolate Truffles . . . wrapped chocolate goodies in coffee, mint, rum or assorted flavors, packaged in ½ and 1-lb. triangular containers . . . Welch's chocolate covered mints are the perfect "finis" to Christmas dinner (or any other dinner, for that matter) . . . So visit Welch's soon for all your Christmas candy needs . . . Order Welch's chocolates to be delivered to friends in town . . . And if you're in business and wish to distribute "sweet" largesse . . . Welch's will give prompt attention to company orders . . . **Welch's Candy Shop, 755 Fort St., 383-6422.**

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne McNiven of Hamiota, Manitoba, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Eleanor Lorraine, to Mr. Donald Edwin Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Jackson Bell, of Monarch Place, Victoria. The wedding will take place in St. George the Martyr Church, Cadboro Bay at 7:30 p.m. December 28.—(George N. Y. Simpson)

ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: I'm a steady reader who was adopted at birth. For the 50th time I've been asked by a "friend" if I ever wonder who my real parents are. How can I get it through their unthinking heads that I am living with my real parents?

Is there some set rule that says parents must go through the motions of childbirth? Where does love come in? I mean no disrespect to my natural mother but I often thank God for putting me into the home of the wonderful people who raised me. It was a lucky break.

I don't think I've said this very well, Ann, but I've been wanting to say it for a long time and I feel like a million dollars, now that I've said it. Thanks for the opportunity. — NO STRANGERS LIVE HERE.

Dear No Stranger: What a wonderful letter! It sounds as if someone has done a beautiful job of making you feel wanted and loved. Cheers for the whole family.

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Dear Ann Landers: Recently you published a letter from a woman who was bemoaning the fact that she was over-endowed. (When the schoolgirls saw her coming, they used to sigh, "Good grief, here comes old D-cup!")

You answered by telling her about a survey made in your office which revealed that 10 out of 11 girls said they would rather have too much than too little.

Surveys don't help the woman whose bra straps cut into her shoulders like knives because they are carrying such a load. Surveys don't help the unfortunate girl who can't wear sweaters of scoop neck dressed or clingy fabrics and is called by nicknames you couldn't print in your column.

Why didn't you tell the woman who wrote that the super-blessed females can now be helped by surgery? The operation is not dangerous. The surgeon merely removes the fatty tissue and the woman emerges with normal measurements.

So many problems are insoluble. When one comes along that can be solved, I should think you'd be happy to pass the word. — BEEN THERE

Dear B.T.: You are right. The surgery you describe has helped many women. I was aware of the procedure and I should have suggested it. My apologies to all whose cups runneth over.

Theodore Spiess of Victoria began a two-month vacation when he sailed from Vancouver aboard the P & O Liner, Oriana, bound for Australia and South Africa. Mr. Spiess begins his holiday with special Christmas celebrations at sea as the Oriana sails through the sunny Pacific.

CARNE REBEKAH

Carne Rebekah Lodge, No. 45, IOOF will hold a social and Christmas party with exchange of gifts on Thursday, Dec. 21 at 7:30 p.m. on the Oddfellows Hall, Douglas Street. Entertainment.

Woman Is Appointed Crown Prosecutor

MONTREAL (CP) — A 25-year-old woman who is "fascinate by the psychology of the criminal mind" has been named Crown prosecutor in the Montreal district.

Lise Pominville, a recent graduate of the University of Montreal law school, handles prosecution in criminal cases that may include anything from murder to bootlegging.

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Miss Pominville regards her new appointment with a certain amount of detachment.

"It will be very interesting, I think. I'm very happy to have the job. You see, I've always been interested in Criminal law and I'm fascinated by the psychology of the criminal mind."

She applied for the position because it "will give me tremendous experience in the courtroom."

Unlike many young women lawyers, Miss Pominville does not come from a family of lawyers. "My father has his own butcher business."

DIVORCEES UNHAPPY

Divorced men and women are dying at a faster rate than married persons in California and the suicide rate of divorced persons tops the figure for married persons by three to five times, census figures show.

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Luscious fare for Christmas dinner

What sideboard ever groaned under such a majestic feast—Butter Baked Turkey, Christmas Ribbon Salad and Mincemeat Walnut Tarts with their own special Hard Sauce rosettes.—(The Canadian Dairy Foods Service Bureau)

Arranged by Dorothy Wrotnowski
Social Editor

Happy, happy Christmas ... that brings back the memories of childhood and seasons past. The blazing fire that roared its welcome to everyone, the merry voices that rang throughout the rooms and best of all, the tempting spicy aromas that wafted from the warmth of the kitchen for weeks before the festive day.

To many of us this is the time of year we turn once more to some special place in our childhood with warm thoughts and feelings. Instead of looking back this year let's make this Christmas, this Centennial Christmas, one the whole family will look back upon with the fondest of memories. Set forth to imbue the family with the anticipatory joys of the holiday season.

It's time for a real Christmas with holly and mistletoe; time for traditional Christmas stories and time for a Christmas dinner that matches any groaning board that has ever been set before family and friends.

The Canadian Dairy Foods Service Bureau has sent an array of recipes to use throughout this festive season. They take a bit of time but your efforts will be rewarded by beaming smiles of satisfaction.

What would Christmas ever be without turkey; the plump, succulent bird waiting in golden glory to be carved. And the best turkey of all is Butter Baked with an Old-Fashioned Butter Stuffing. The meat is guaranteed moist and tender under a crisp golden skin. The stuffing as light and fluffy as the freshly fallen snow, with just the right amount of seasoning to keep everyone thumping the table for more.

Butter Baked Turkey

12 to 16 pound turkey
Melted butter
Salt and pepper
Paprika
Dry mustard

Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. When turkey is ready to stuff, rinse body and neck cavities with cold water; drain and dry well with paper towel. Salt and pepper cavity lightly. Pack stuffing lightly into neck cavity. Fold neck skin over opening and fasten to back with a metal skewer. Fold wing tips over back. Fill body cavity lightly with stuffing. Close opening with thread or metal skewers. Fasten legs of turkey according to packers directions. Place turkey on rack in roasting pan, breast side up. Brush with melted butter. Sprinkle with salt, pepper, paprika and a small amount of dry mustard. Cover loosely with tent of aluminum foil (dull side out) tucking edges into pan at end but leaving sides open. Place on a low rack in preheated oven. Brush about once every half hour with melted butter. Roast according to packers directions or when a meat thermometer placed in the middle of the stuffing registers 165 degrees F. The meat on the thickest portion of the thigh should be soft when pressed. To finish browning bird, remove foil near end of roasting time.

Butter Stuffing

(Makes Sufficient Stuffing to Stuff a 12 to 16 Pound Turkey)

1 cup butter, melted
¾ cup finely-chopped onion
chopped cooked giblets (optional)
12 cups day-old soft bread crumbs
1 tablespoon poultry seasoning
2 teaspoons salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ cup snipped parsley

Melt butter in saucepan. Add onion; saute gently until tender. Add giblets. Gently mix bread crumbs, poultry seasoning, salt, pepper and parsley together in a large bowl. Add butter mixture and toss lightly. Pre-salt cavity of turkey before stuffing.

Yule ribbon salad refreshing dessert

Feature this moulded ribbon salad quivering in majesty — a colorful salad or refreshing fruit dessert. An airy layer of whipped cream subtly flavored with almond nestles between lime jelly, chock full of grapefruit sections and fresh seedless grapes, and ruby red cranberry jelly with a tangy flavor all its own.

(Makes 12 Servings)

1 (3-ounce) package lime jelly powder
1 cup boiling water
¾ cup grapefruit juice
1 cup diced grapefruit sections
½ cup halved green seedless grapes

1½ envelopes unflavored gelatine
1¾ cups milk
3 tablespoons sugar
1½ teaspoons vanilla
¼ teaspoon almond extract
½ pint (1¼ cups) whipping cream

1½ envelopes unflavored gelatine
2½ cups cranberry juice cocktail
3 tablespoons sugar
3 tablespoons lemon juice

Dissolve lime jelly powder in boiling water. Add grapefruit juice. Chill until softly set. Fold in grapefruit and grapes. Pour into 9-cup mold which has been rinsed in cold water. Chill until set.

Sprinkle the 1½ envelopes gelatine over ½ cup cold milk. Let stand 5 minutes to soften Scald remaining 1¼ cups milk. Add gelatine, sugar, vanille and almond extract. Stir until gelatine is dissolved. Chill until softly set. Whip cream until softly stiff and gently fold into gelatine mixture. Carefully spoon over lime layer. Chill until set.

Sprinkle 1½ envelopes gelatine over ½ cup of the cranberry juice cocktail. Let stand 5 minutes to soften. Heat remaining 2 cups juice to boiling. Remove from heat; stir in gelatine, sugar and lemon juice. Stir until gelatine is dissolved. Chill until softly set. Pour over cream layer. Chill until very firm before unmoulding.

Apricot rum cake

For the crowning delight of a festive buffet, set forth this Apricot Rum Cake with its own special sauce. It's a spectacular orange flavored pound cake soaked in apricot rum nectar and garnished with a delicate apricot glaze.

(Makes One 10-inch Tube Cake)

3½ cups sifted all-purpose flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
1½ cups soft butter
2 cups sugar
8 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons grated orange rind
1 tablespoon grated lemon rind
½ cup milk

1 (12-ounce) can apricot nectar
¾ cup sugar
1 cup water
½ cup light rum or 2 tablespoons rum extract
2 tablespoons lemon juice

½ cup apricot preserves
1 tablespoon orange juice
½ pint (1¼ cups) whipping cream
freshly grated nutmeg

Butter a 10-inch tube pan or fluted ring mould. Preheat oven to 325 degrees F. Sift together the flour, baking powder and salt. Cream butter; gradually beat in the 2 cups sugar. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Beat in vanilla, orange and lemon rind. Add dry ingredients to creamed mixture, alternately with milk, combining lightly after each addition. Turn batter into prepared pan; spread evenly. Bake in preheated oven about 1½ hours. Cool completely.

To Prepare Syrup: In medium saucepan combine apricot nectar, the ¾ cup sugar, and water. Bring to boil, stirring until sugar is dissolved. Boil gently uncovered 10 minutes or until syrup is reduced to 1 cup. Remove from heat. Add rum or extract and lemon juice. With cake tester make holes 1-inch apart in top of cake in pan. Pour warm syrup over cake ¼ cup at a time until all is used. Let stand at room temperature 2 hours or until syrup is absorbed.

To Prepare Glaze: Melt preserves in small saucepan. Stir in orange juice. Strain or blend until smooth. Carefully loosen cake from pan. Turn onto serving plate. Brush glaze over top and sides of cake. Refrigerate. Serve cake with whipped cream or Quick Rum Sauce which has been garnished with freshly grated nutmeg.

SAUCE
(Makes 2½ Cups)

2 eggs
½ cup sugar
½ cup whipping cream
3 tablespoons rum or 2 teaspoons rum extract

Beat eggs and sugar until very light and fluffy. Whip cream until softly stiff. Fold into egg mixture with rum. Refrigerate until ready to use.

Holiday eggnog pie

Holiday Eggnog Pie has a light delicate eggnog filling piled inches high in a crunchy ginger crust.

(Makes One 9-inch Pie)

1 cup ginger wafer crumbs
½ cup finely-chopped walnuts
2 tablespoons sugar
3 tablespoons butter, melted
1½ envelopes unflavored gelatine
2 cups dairy eggnog
½ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoons rum extract
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 egg whites
2 tablespoons sugar
½ pint (1¼ cups) whipping cream
nutmeg

For the Crust: Combine ginger wafer crumbs, walnuts and the 2 tablespoons sugar; drizzle with melted butter and mix thoroughly. Press evenly in bottom and sides of a 9-inch pie plate. Chill.

For the Filling: Sprinkle gelatine over ½ cup cold eggnog. Let stand 5 minutes to soften. Dissolve over hot water. Add remaining eggnog, salt, rum extract and vanilla. Chill until softly set. Beat egg whites until frothy throughout. Gradually beat in the 2 tablespoons sugar and continue to beat until meringue forms stiff peaks. Whip cream until softly stiff. Fold meringue and whipped cream into eggnog mixture. Chill until softly set. Pile into prepared pie shell; heaping mixture in centre. Chill until firm. Sprinkle with nutmeg.

Mincemeat walnut tarts with brandy hard sauce

Dainty Mincemeat Walnut Tarts, topped with a special Brandy Hard Sauce, are so delicious no one will stop at just one. This pastry is special — and simple to make; no rolling required, simply press into your favorite tart pans. The mincemeat filling is richly laced with walnuts, cherries and a dash of brandy.

(Makes 1 Dozen Tarts)

2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
¼ cup granulated sugar
¾ cup chilled butter
2 egg yolks

3 cups prepared mincemeat
1½ cups coarsely chopped walnuts
¾ cup coarsely chopped maraschino cherries
1 tablespoon brandy or 2 teaspoons brandy extract

½ cup soft butter
1½ cups sifted icing sugar
1 egg yolk
2 teaspoons brandy extract

Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. Combine flour and granulated sugar. Cut the ¾ cup butter in finely. Stir in the 2 egg yolks with a fork until well blended. Work dough with hands until it forms a smooth ball. Divide dough into 12 pieces. Press each piece into 3½-inch fluted tart pans; pushing firmly to make an even layer. Combine mincemeat, walnuts, cherries and brandy. Mix well. Generously fill tart shells. Bake in preheated oven 15 to 20 minutes. Cool. Remove from tart pans and serve topped with Brandy Hard Sauce.

Brandy Hard Sauce: Cream the ½ cup butter; gradually beat in icing sugar. Add egg yolk and brandy extract and continue to beat until light and fluffy. Put mixture in pastry bag fitted with decorator tube and press out mounds on each tart.

Letters to Kitte Turmell

"Dear Kitte Turmell: I would like to give a boy a Christmas present. Is this proper? I like him very much and I want to do it because I like him. Will he be offended? — 'GIRL-LIKES-BOY' "

Dear "Girl-Likes-Boy": Nobody should be offended if given a present of small value as a friendly gesture. But it is not customary for a girl to give a Christmas present to a boy before they go steady — unless they are such good friends that an exchange of gifts seems natural.

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"Dear Kitte: I have just turned 16 and my parents do not allow me to date. They say I can't until I'm about 18 or so.

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Record Week: KJR Helped

By CATHY LOWTHER

Last Tuesday's basketball game was a smash success. After the 1,130 spectators left the 600-capacity gym and the KJR team flew home 100-93 winners, the profit for Oak Bay was $300.

Oak Bay paid for all transportation and publicity, and made a small payment to the schools whose teachers participated. Special congratulations should go to the committee of student arrangers, especially treasurer Tony Farr, boys' sports rep Terry Hind and council president Robert McDougall.

REAL STAR

The real star of the team was Sweet Thomas Murphy, who barely managed to keep up his game average of one point, in a phenomenal free shot that could only be duplicated by a four-year-old with a slingshot. His dribbling is more like slobbering.

In all the fuss made over the DJs, some players were neglected — Bob Flower, Waverly Davis, Don Rae and especially Levi Fisher, all really great pro players.

Anyone disappointed in the Emergency Exit should know that Luther's bass was broken, and he was playing on a guitar borrowed from Norm Piercy of the Marquis.

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Next weekend is Christmas, so why not go dancing? Beautiful people groove at Nine in the Fifth Place. In addition, the Marquis' are playing a benefit dance Friday at St. Mary's church on Elgin Road.

Saturday night, Thee Galore at the Club Tango, semi-formal and $3.50 a couple, and the Motifs at the Purple Onion, couples only.

New Year's Eve, the Motifs are playing at the Dominion Hall. Tickets are about $10 a couple — contact Roy Vollinger.

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Hit singles: The Walrus and The Common People are out of sight. Massachusetts and Different Drum are strong comers.

Hit LPs: Is there anyone out there who has not bought Magical Mystery Tour? After that, the Stones and Herb Alpert's Ninth.

Up and Coming: This is it! Bill Wyman and the Rolling Stones In Another Land. Try to find it on the map.

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6. Daydream Believer ..... Monkees
7. Beautiful People ..... Kenny O'Dell/Bobby Vee
8. Too Much of Nothing ..... Peter, Paul and Mary
9. My Girl ..... Turtles
10. Wild Honey ..... Beach Boys
11. Do Unto Others/Peace of Mind ... Revere and the Raiders
12. Judy in Disguise ..... John Fred and the Playboy Band
13. Woman, Woman ..... Union Gap
14. Next Plane to London ..... Rose Garden
15. Love Is Strange ..... Peaches and Herb
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Skaters Offer Beauty Hints

By KITTE TURMELL

In the frosty world of ice shows it ought to be easy to keep your cool. But a lot of things can happen to the hair, make-up and nerves of a girl who skates 20 minutes in the spotlight, say the McCutcheon sisters.

I talked to Canadians Peggy and Jane at lunch in Hollywood and asked them some of the good-grooming questions you teenagers ask me. To skate as a star 11 months a year in more than 40 cities, in three countries, you have to learn how to look always lovely and poised.

Here are their good-grooming tips:

Hair-care — "Do as little back-combing and spraying as possible," advise these blonde look-alikes from Belleville, Ont. "We keep ours trim, with a haircut every three weeks to keep the ends smooth. For the shows we wear pony-tail hairpieces.

"You should brush your hair anywhere from 50 to 200 times a day, depending on how you wear it and whether it is dry or oily. Our hair gets oily from make-up and we have to use a lot of spray to keep it smooth. So we shampoo three times a week, using warm water and soap, then hot water, and finally a cold water rinse.

"During the day, before the show, we like to let our hair fly in the sun and wind to keep it healthy, even if it does look untidy."

Skin-care — "We have to wear a lot of make-up for the show, but on the street we use hardly any. To keep your face clear, wash with hot water and soap, then rinse with cold water and dust on some baby powder. And get out in the sun."

Nail-care — "Ours break continuously in our cold ice-show environment. So we keep them as short as possible, filed and buffed, with clear polish."

Body-care — "We take lots of showers and baths — at least two a day — and always use bath oil in the tub, good soap and bath powder. We use a spray deodorant five or six times a day, between shows. But we always wash it off with soap before applying the next spray. Just before we go out to skate we use a good perfume — not something that haunts you — on wrists, elbows, neck."

Diet-watching — Peggy had two chunks of cake that day, but only because it was her 17th birthday. Jane was 16. In a show like Holiday on Ice, you have to weigh yourself every day to make sure you don't exceed a certain figure. The girls stay at 115 pounds.

Sleep schedule — "This is hard when you travel. Usually we get to bed by midnight — we might watch a late movie — and get seven or eight hours of sleep. Then we rest for two hours before a show, starting at 5 p.m., and we might fall asleep then.

"You can't skate when you're tired. That's when accidents happen. But whether you skate or not, if you're rested it helps your personality so you can see the funny side of things. And if you're rested and happy, that's good for your skin and just about everything else."

To learn how to become a show skater, or just get most fun out of skating, send your request with a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Kitte Turmell in care of this newspaper. Ask for Kitte Turmell's new leaflet "Glide Rules for Skaters," from the McCutcheon sisters.

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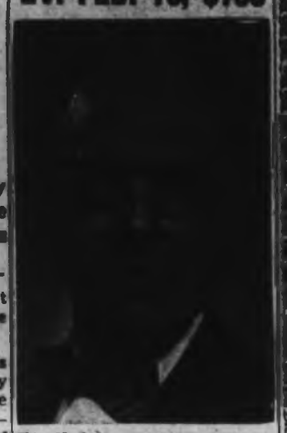

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McNamara: End Mad Race

WASHINGTON (UPI) — U.S. Defence Secretary McNamara, in a secret farewell report to NATO, has urged an end to the "mad race" in nuclear arms and a more rational approach to war.

McNamara's report was read for him by his deputy, Paul Nitze, at the North Atlantic Treaty Organization ministerial meetings in Brussels last week. McNamara, soon to head the World Bank, stayed behind to work on the U.S. budget.

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His report was made in closed session, and has not been published, but its substance has become available.

It was a parting summary by McNamara of many of his long-held beliefs on war and the Atlantic alliance's future.

It restated the doctrine of "flexible" response which McNamara has long urged, which NATO has increasingly adopted, and which was formally incorporated in a NATO military strategy paper at Brussels.

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This doctrine is that NATO should be able to respond to any level of enmy attack — from very small ground action to nuclear war — and that NATO should be able to fight a limited war without need to resort quickly to nuclear holocaust.

The point McNamara stressed was that NATO needs not just a flexible policy; it needs flexible forces to accomplish the policy.

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He urged NATO countries to spend more of their limited defense funds on ground forces and less on sophisticated aircraft and navies. He said much improvement in NATO ground forces could be made at relatively little cost.

But large ground forces are expensive for European countries to maintain, both in money and in terms of manpower. As a partial alternative, McNamara urged NATO to build and maintain effective reserve forces, provided there are good plans for their quick mobilization.

Statehood Rejected In Debate

Should Canada become part of the United States.

"No," said students at Victoria high school Friday, in a debate which will be aired on the CBC at 6:30 p.m. Jan 5.

The discussion involved Vic. High student panellists Lily Low and Tony Senyk, and Professor Charles Burchill of the Canadian Service College, Royal Roads. Moderator was broadcaster Elwy Yost, who is emcee of the CBC feature, It's Debatable.

Students in the audience joined in the discussion.

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The firm was established in 1898 by the fathers of Mr. Peden and Gordon Scott. At one time the company store, at the corner of Pandora and Store Streets, sold groceries, but this part of the business was discontinued as Scott & Peden division of almost eight years ago.

Mr. Peden and Mr. Scott became major shareholders in 1950, and in 1961 Mr. Peden became sole owner.

The present store will be retained and will be unchanged for a time, according to W. S. Ritchie, general sales manager of Buckerfield's. The business will be expanded in the future and the layout of the store changed.

The company will be known as Scott & Peden division of Buckerfield's Ltd. and will be managed by Sid Biggs, who was superintendent before the sale.

Buckerfield's recently sold its property on Douglas Street and went out of the retail business but still maintains a warehouse at Ogden Point.

New A-Blast

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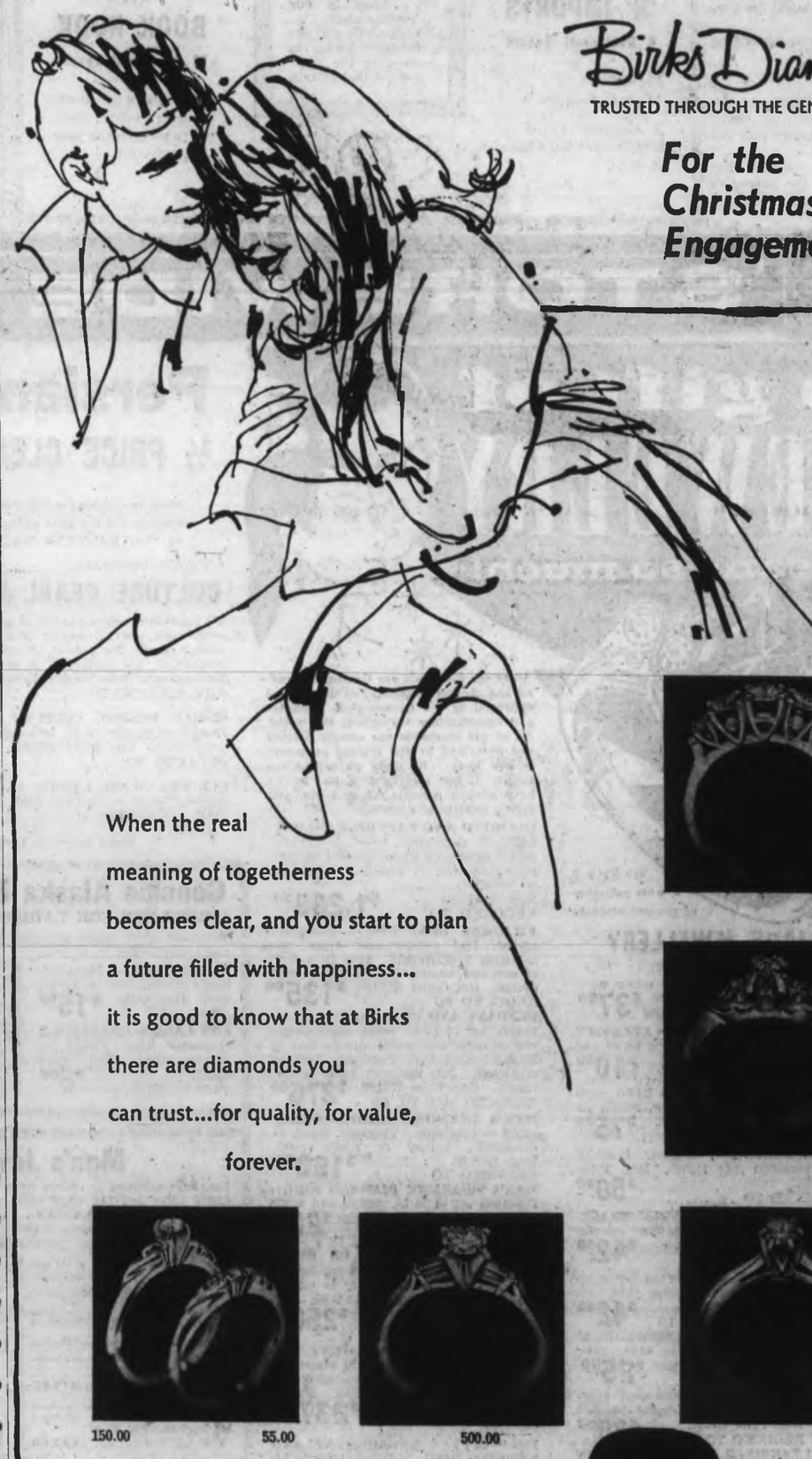
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ATHENS (UPI) — Mediators between King Constantine and the military regime he failed to overthrow returned to Athens Saturday night after telling the king he could have his throne back — but apparently only as a figurehead.

The mediators, Foreign Minister Stylianos Pipinelis and Archbishop Ieronymos, the Greek primate, reportedly brought back the king's reply to a government offer to return his glory but not his power.

The Greek military rulers apparently want the king as a symbol that theirs is a legal government, despite the fact it came to power in a military coup last April.

One well-informed source said that the government had placed two conditions on Constantine's return that may be unacceptable to the 27-year-old monarch.

● One was that he come back without his 50-year-old mother, Queen Frederika, who long has been considered a source of major intrigue in Greek politics.

● The other was that Constantine become "a genuinely nonpolitical King" and that he "get rid of corrupt courtiers," the informant said.

Constantine, on his side, was believed pressing for the eventual replacement of the military regime with a democratic civilian government as the price for his return.

Sources close to the archbishop said late Saturday that the prelate "is optimistic about a settlement" that would bring the King back.

Romanian 'Romance' Continuing

MOSCOW (UPI) — Soviet leaders will go to Romania next month for a final attempt to keep the independent-minded ally from following Yugoslavia to fringe membership in the communist camp, informed sources said Saturday.

The reported trip by Soviet party leader Leonid Brezhnev and possibly Premier Alexei Kosygin will follow two days of Moscow talks this week in which Soviet and Romanian leaders agreed on almost nothing except their mutual support for Hanoi.

Public Responding To Use of Schools

Public demand for use of school facilities has shown "a marked increase" since the Greater Victoria school board announced its open door policy last month.

This is the report of the board's buildings and grounds committee which will be discussed by trustees Monday at their monthly meeting.

In November the board approved new regulations which open the schools in the evening free to meetings associated with education and cut other rents by half. Organized sports and recreation groups get special consideration.

EFFECTIVE JAN. 1

The new rates go into effect Jan. 1.

Small clubs, Brownie and Scout groups have shown special interest in using the schools, says the committee report.

On Monday the school board also will receive a letter from the Victoria Basketball Commission expressing thanks on behalf of all recreation groups under its jurisdiction.

CONFERENCE PLAN

The board's meeting, open to the public, is held at 8 p.m. in the Paul Building at Foul Bay Road and Lansdowne Avenue.

In other business the board will consider a proposal by the Greater Victoria Teachers' Association that a second community education conference be held in 1968.

Suggested date is Feb. 16 and 17.

Eight district educators received Canadian centennial medals, says district superintendent Joseph Chell.

They are: H. D. Dee, retired director of secondary education; Donald Smith, principal of Esquimalt Junior Secondary School; Norman Forbes, principal of Oaklands elementary; W. L. Hardie of Victoria Senior Secondary School; Mrs. Lauretta Holdridge, teacher-in-charge at Braefoot elementary; Miss K. L. Porter of Margaret Jenkins elementary; Miss Christine MacNab of S. J. Willis Junior Secondary School; and Miss Mabel Conibear of Esquimalt Senior Secondary School.

Transient Hostel Out of Space

The Salvation Army is still searching for additional lodgings for transients.

Brig. Cecil Bonner of the Men's Social Service and Rehabilitation Centre at 525 Johnson, said Saturday that the Victoria hostel is "swamped" and there is "not one inch of available space for more beds."

The brigadier issued an urgent call last week for a building where the men could be housed.

"We have room for 52 men," he said, "and we've been getting as many as 67 a night. We are looking for a building where they could be housed at our usual charge of $1 or $1.25 a night."

"This is the largest number we've ever had here," Brig. Bonner said.

Schools

Library Nights Success

Two Greater Victoria high school principals said Saturday that student response has justified opening their school libraries in the evenings.

Six weeks ago the libraries of Victoria high school and Esquimalt junior high school began evening sessions on an experimental basis.

SAME ONES

Duncan Lorimer, principal of Vic High, said attendance now averages 15 to 17 a night.

"We tend to see the same ones," he noted.

Donald Smith, principal of Esquimalt junior high said the esperiment had caught on after a slow start.

"I'm satisfied it is performing a service," he said.

QUIET PLACE

"Certainly the library is providing a quiet place for study, which some youngsters may not have at home."

Both principals observed that students came to the library to make use of reference books in their assignments.

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5 DEATHS AND FUNERALS

CAMPBELL—Suddenly on Dec. 14, 1967, Mary M., beloved sister of Mrs. J. D. Tyson, Mrs. R. S. Dyer and Mr. J. D. D. Campbell, Victoria, B.C. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Miss Campbell was a native daughter and a member of the Victoria Golf Club.

Funeral service in HAYWARD'S FUNERAL CHAPEL, 734 Broughton St., Monday, Dec. 18 at 1:30 p.m. Very Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Cremation. Flowers gratefully declined. Supervised parking adjoining chapel.

CHARLES—On Dec. 14, 1967, in Victoria, B.C., William Mark Charles, aged 87 years, of 985 Darwin Avenue, born in Ipswich, Suffolk, England, and a resident of Victoria since 1962, formerly of Neilburg, Sask. He leaves his wife, Caroline; a stepson, Thomas F. Brooks, of Toronto; a nephew, Mr. C. Bellew, of Johnson City, N.Y.; a neice, Mrs. Nick Kopak, of Edmonton. Mr. Charles served with the Royal Engineers from 1902 to 1915.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 1:30 p.m. in the Thomson & Irving Funeral Chapel. Rev. John Watson officiating, followed by interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park. Flowers gratefully declined.

ELLIOTT—At the Glenwarren Private Hospital, on Dec. 15, 1967, Annie Mae Elliott, aged 83 years, beloved wife of Alvin Alonzo, No. 9, 1106 Balmoral Road, born in St. John, N.B., and a resident of Victoria since 1959. Besides her husband, she leaves one daughter, Mrs. W. B. (Barbara) Johnston, of Duncan, B.C.; one son, Wesley Stewart, of Edmonton, Alta.; two sisters, Mrs. J. C. Stephen, of Ocean Park, B.C., Mrs. Florence Shaw of Evanston, Ill.; one brother, Alex McLean, of Vancouver, B.C.; six grandchildren. Mrs. Elliott was a past member of the Dawson City, Yukon I.O.D.E.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, Dec 18, at 3 p.m., in the Thomson and Irving Funeral Chapel. Very Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean officiating, followed by interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

DONCASTER — On December 16, 1967, Mrs. Sarah Doncaster of Victoria, aged 86 years, widow of William Doncaster, formerly of Winnipeg and Rivers, Manitoba. She leaves one son, Leonard of Van Nuys, Calif.; 2 daughters, Mrs. G. (Doris) Washington of Saanichton and Mrs. C. (Lillian) Bartlett of Victoria; 11 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren.

PRIVATE funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' FAMILY CHAPEL, Main Office Bldg. on Tuesday, Dec. 19 at 3:00 p.m., Rev. Canon George Biddle officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

GATES—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1967, Mrs. Rose Lydia Gates, of 1006 Fairfield Rd., aged 85 years, born in Sutton, Surrey, England, and a resident of this city for the past 55 years. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Phyllis I. Cann, at the residence; 2 granddaughters; 3 great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts., on Monday, Dec. 18, at 1:15 p.m. Rev. Canon George Biddle officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. (Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring, may contribute to the Heart Fund, 620 View St.)

MATSON—On December 16, 1967, at the Aberdeen Private Hospital, Mr. George Enos Matson of 330 Richmond, a resident here for 25 years, formerly of Warner, Alberta. Survived by his wife, Josie, at home. He was a life member of the B.P.O.E., Victoria, the Beacon Hill Bowling Club and Fairfield United Church.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. H. Kerley on Tuesday, Dec. 19, 1967, in McCall Bros.' MAIN CHAPEL, Vancouver and Johnson Street. Cremation. (Flowers gratefully declined.) If desired friends may contribute to the Fairfield United Church Youth Club.

McPHERSON — Passed away suddenly in Victoria, on Thursday, Dec. 14, 1967, Mr. William Ormiston McPherson, of 2882 Austin Ave., aged 86 years, born in Binscarth, Manitoba, and a resident of Victoria for the past 34 years. Survived by his loving wife, Beryl; 2 sisters, Mrs. G. (Jessie) Gibbons, of Victoria, and Mrs. John (Marion) Duncan, of Ladysmith; 3 brothers, J. S. McPherson, of Winnipeg, C. T. McPherson, Courtenay, and F. C. McPherson, of Campbell River. During the Second World War, Mr. McPherson served as Fuel Controller in Victoria, later being associated with War Assets and then with Capital Iron and Metals Co. for the past 20 years.

Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Sts. on Monday, Dec. 18, at 3:15 p.m. Rev. Gilbert Smith officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

MILLER — On December 15, 1967 at Clovelly Private Hospital, Mr. William F. Miller, aged 68 years of Ste. 103, 20 Olympia Ave., a resident here for nine years, formerly of Edmonton. He leaves his wife Helen; two daughters, Mrs. E. C. (Carol) Teather of Seattle and Miss Dianne of Victoria; four grandchildren; one brother Alex of Cooksville, Ontario; two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Morton of Edmonton and Mrs. E. Grisdale of Vancouver. He was a former member of the Men's Club of St. Patrick's Church.

Prayers will be offered in McCall Bros. FLORAL CHAPEL, Johnson and Vancouver Streets on Sunday, Dec. 17 at 8:00 p.m. Mass will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, Haultain St. on Monday, Dec. 18 at 10:00 a.m. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

PETCOVICH — On December 15, 1967, Mary Ellen, beloved wife of Andrew Petcovich, 1945 Greatford Place. She was born in Liverpool, England, and was formerly a resident of Port Arthur. Survived also by 3 loving daughters, Mrs. T. (Doreen) McCulloch, Mrs. A. (Joan) Andrews and Mrs. R. (Ursula) Guerard, all of Victoria; her nephew, Mr. G. McBride; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild, all in Victoria; additionally by her brother Charles at Terrebonne, Quebec; her brother William and sister Harriet in England and her brother Thomas in Florida, U.S.A.

PRIVATE MASS will be celebrated in St. Patrick's Church, Haultain St., on Monday, December 18 at 1:00 p.m. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park. McCall Bros., Funeral Directors in charge of arrangements.

TERRIS — At the Veterans' Hospital, on December 15, 1967, Mr. Alfred John Terris, aged 84 years, born in Essex, England, and a resident of Victoria for the past six years, late residence, Suite 2, 1208 Ormond St. He leaves his wife, Rosina, at home; his daughter Mrs. George Colwell, Sidney, B.C.; son, Jack Terris, Victoria, B.C.; 15 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. Predeceased by his son, George Terris, on December 4, 1967.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes", on Tuesday, December 19, 1967 at 11:00 a.m. Padre Douglas Kendell officiating. Cremation. Flowers gratefully declined. Donations may be made to the Heart Fund, 620 View St., Victoria, B.C.

WHITE—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 14, 1967, Mrs. Sarah Ann Queen (Queenie) White, aged 58 years, born in East Sooke, B.C., and a life resident of Victoria, B.C., late residence, 1326 Johnson Street. She leaves her loving husband, Bert A. White, well known musician and entertainer, at home; her brother, Tom Cartwright, Victoria, B.C.; nieces and nephews; and great-nieces and nephews. Mrs. White was a life member of Victoria Lodge No. 5, Order of the Royal Purple, of Canada.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Monday, Dec. 18, 1967, at 1:00 p.m., Mr. Claude C. Howard officiating. Interment in the Colwood Burial Park.

WONG—In Victoria, B.C., on Dec. 13, 1967, Wong Hong, aged 85 years, born in China, and a resident of Victoria for the past 71 years, late residence, 954 Mason Street. He leaves his wife, Joy, at home; sons and daughters, Mrs. Eylene Chan, Victoria, B.C.; Wesley Wong, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Thomas (Margaret) Ko, Toronto, Ont.; Alfred Wong, Vancouver, B.C.; Mrs. Harry (Evelyne) Lang, Vancouver, B.C.; and Gilbert Wong, Victoria, B.C.; 18 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. Mr. Wong was the proprietor of the Victoria Barber Shop for 50 years.

Service will be held in the Sands Mortuary Limited, "Memorial Chapel of Chimes," on Monday, Dec. 18, 1967, at 2:30 p.m., Rev. C. Y. Chow officiating. Interment in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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8 CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank friends, neighbors and relatives for their kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement. Special thanks to Rev. Canon G. Biddle, West Bay Hospital, Dr. R. Conn and McCall Bros.—Mrs. A. Hellier and family.

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their acts of love and sympathy during the illness and loss of our dear friend, Paul Ross. Special thanks to Dr. R. D. Sargent, the nurses of St. Joseph's and Royal Jubilee Hospitals, Rev. Dr. Emma M. Smiley and the Sands Mortuary Limited. — Fred and Evelyn Schuman.

I wish to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to my relatives and many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings in the loss of my dear husband, Lewis. Special thanks to McCall Brothers, Rev. R. D. J. Morris, Rev. Marvin Fowler, Roberta Wood, soloist, Mrs. Ursula Bunt, organist, Drs. McMahon and Fiddes, nurses and staff of Veterans' Hospital for the loving care given to my husband during his two illnesses. — Mrs. Doris Mabbot.

9 IN MEMORIAM

HISCOCKS — In loving memory of Robert Hillier Hiscocks, who passed away on November 23, 1967.

I knew him as a Native Son,
A serviceman in World War One:
Where sacrifice — supreme in death,
Forever cries, upon the breath!
That men may come, that men may go,
That always, too, this may be so;
No matter why? — No matter what?
Let duty call — they're on the spot!
It makes for soldiers, so it seems,
Who resurrect themselves in dreams;
Where sacrifice — supreme in death,
Forever cries, upon the breath!
— A. L. Greig.

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GATES, Mrs. Rose Lydia 1:15 p.m. FLORAL CHAPEL.
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WINNER OF MOOSE BARBIE Doll draw is ticket No. 2304.

15 COMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

BINGO
VICTORIA CHARITIES
1600 Government Street
DEC. 18 AT 7:30
Admission — $1.00
Six Cards for $2.00
16 Games $16 Each
2 Games $20 Each
1 Game $50
1 Game $100
Door Prizes
5 Good Neighbors
Last 5 Games 25c Card
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LEGION BINGO
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Extra Cards 25 Cents
14 Games at $12
2 Friendly Neighbors
2 Games at $15
10th Game $50 with Chance to Double
20th Game $100
5 Extra Games
Proceeds to Veterans' Benevolence
60 Per Cent Gross in Prizes

SONS OF NORWAY ADULT CAROL Night, Sunday, December 17th, at 7:30, 1110 Hillside. Christmas tree with Norwegian and English songs. Program and refreshments. All welcome.

MEMBERS OF NAZARENE Shrine No. 1 (WSOJ) are requested to attend the church service in St. John's Anglican Church, Sidney, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

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21 MALE HELP WANTED

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Applications, which will be treated in strictest confidence, should describe the applicant's personal background, education, work experience and present salary and should be addressed to:

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By BRUCE LOWTHER

Starting today, the daily schedules of the University of Washington's educational-network station KCTS on Seattle's Channel 9 will be listed here daily. Look for it after each day's movies, just before Channel 13.

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Sunday's Highlights

11:00 a.m.—Reruns of the Harry Truman series

C-5:30 p.m. — Public Decisions—5.

Broadcasting Laboratory devotes both hours to a report on troubles and otherwise between police and minorities in the U.S.—9.

★ C-7:00—That funny Dr. Seuss cartoon How the Grinch Stole Christmas—7.

★ C-8:00 — A real special: Among the Paths of Eden, the Capote story of two lonely people who meet in a cemetery, starring Martin Balsam and Maureen Stapleton—4.

C-8:30—One more Christmas special, led by Merv Griffin, includes Garry Moore—11.

★ C-9:00—The Smotherses have Tallulah Bankhead to outugly Pat Paulsen. Plus the Temptations—7, 8, 12.

★ 9:00—Two Thornton Wilder plays, Infancy and Childhood—9.

★ 10:00—The Way It Is is scheduled to show a documentary on poverty in Canada—2, 6.

C-11:00—Christmas carols from Tacoma—11.

Sunday's Sports

C-10:00 a.m.—NFL, Cleveland at Philadelphia—7, 12.

C-10:30—NFL, St. Louis at New York—2, 6.

★ C-12:30—The BIG game, Baltimore at Los Angeles for the NFL's coastal championship—7, 12.

C-1:30 p.m.—AFL, New York at Oakland—5.

4:30—Old Country Football—8.

Sunday's Movies

★ 11:30 a.m.—All the King's Men (1950 Huey Long), Broderick Crawford, John Ireland, many more—5.

1:30 p.m.—Never a Dull Moment (dull 1950 romantic comedy), Fred MacMurray, Irene Dunne—2.

2:00—Rise and Shine (1941 musical), Milton Berle—13.

2:30—Always Leave 'em Laughing (laughless 1949 comedy), Milton Berle, Bert Lahr—4.

2:30—The Teacher and the Miracle (1962 Italian drama), Aldo Fabrizi. Possibly good—6, 8.

2:30—Little Miss Broadway (1938 Shirley Temple)—11.

2:50—Full Confession (1939 priest-and-killer), Victor McLaglen, Barry Fitzgerald. A pair of pros.—2.

C-6:00—The Balearic Caper (1966 European junk), Mireille Darc, Jacques Sernas. Not today's worst—5.

C-6:00—Rocambole (1962 adventure), Channing Pollack—11.

C-6:00—Son of Fury (1942 adventure), Tyrone Power—12.

C-9:00—Amorous Adventures of Moll Flanders (1965 poor imitation of Tom Jones), Kim Novak. That's enough—4.

11:00—Four Men and a Prayer (1938 high-camp drama), Loretta Young, George Sanders. Still not the worst—13.

11:30—Circle of Deception (1961 drama), Harry Andrews, Bradford Dillman, Suzy Parker—6.

★ 11:30—David and Lisa (1962 psychological smasher), Kier Dullea, Janet Margolin, Howard Da Silva—12.

11:35—Bop Girl Goes Calypso (1957 nausea), Bobby Troup, Mary Kaye. THIS is the worst—2.

12:00—Dark Victory (1939 Bette Davis goes blind slowly weeper), plus Bogart, Reagan—4.

12:10—Feudin, Fussin and Fightin (forgettable 1948 comedy), Marjorie Main, Donald O'Connor—5.

Channel 9 schedule — 5:30 p.m. Public Broadcasting Laboratory; 7:30—Special on Washington state urban affairs; 8:00, World news; 9:00, NET Playhouse.

Channel 13 schedule — 1:30 p.m., Cartoons; 2:00, Movie; 3:30, Four short religious programs; 4:30, Insight; 5:00, A. A. Allen; 5:30, Fishers; 6:00, Rosary; 6:30, See the U.S.A.; 7:00, Big Picture; 7:30, Upbeat; 8:30, This Is Washington; 9:00, China Smith; 9:30, Official Detective; 10:00, TBA; 10:30, True Story; 11:00, Movie.

Sunday's Radio

12:00 noon—Project 68: Moshe Dayan — CBU-FM (105.7).

2:30 p.m.—A Christmas concert in the old Halifax citadel—CBU (690).

2:30—Christmas music by Telemann, Buxtehude and Marti, three real oldtimers—CBU-FM.

4:00—NHL hockey, Montreal at Detroit — CBU and CBUF-FM (97.7)

6:20—Mozart's Magic Flute. The 1967 Salzburg festival version—CBU-FM.

★ 7:30—Beethoven's Missa Solemnis—CFMS (98.5).

8:00—Two modern Miracle Plays, House by the Stable, then Grab and Grace—CBU.

11:00—Project 68: singer Josh White—CBU.

Monday's Highlights

10:00 a.m.—King's Outlaw reruns replace the school broadcasts for the holidays—2, 6.

C 10:30—Newtime for Donna Reed reruns—4.

C-12:30—A new game show, Treasure Isle—4.

C-5:00 p.m.—Off to See the Wizard begins the 1955 movie Glass Slipper, a Cinderella musical with Leslie Caron—6, 8.

7:30—A special on the new turbotrains—9.

C-8:00—Show of the Week: Cricket on the Hearth, a musical cartoon with the voices of Danny and Marlo Thomas, Ed Ames, Abbe Lane, Roddy McDowall, Hans Conreid—2, 6.

C-9:00—Cricket on the Hearth again—5.

10:30—Faces of Hunger is an Oxfam special—8.

Monday's Movies

8:45 a.m.—Dark Passage (1947 Bogart-Bacall)—4.

12:00 noon—Path of Hope (1950 Italian mine-closing drama), Raf Vallone—11.

12:30—Day of the Badman (1958 western), Fred MacMurray, Marie Windsor—6, 8.

4:00 p.m.—Fallen Angel (fair 1944 mystery), Dana Andrews, Alice Faye, Charles Bickford, Linda Darnell—13.

5:30—Saracen Blade (rotten 1954 adventure), Ricardo Montalban, Carolyn Jones, Michael Ansara—12.

6:00—Mrs. O'Malley and Mr. Malone (fair 1940 comedy), James Whitmore, Marjorie Main—7.

7:00—The More the Merrier (fair 1943 comedy), Charles Coburn, Jean Arthur, Joel McCrea—11.

C-9:30—Northwest Mounted Police (1940 Gary Cooper), plus Madeleine Carroll, Robert Preston—7.

11:00—Anchors Aweigh (1945 musical, still good) Sinatra, Gene Kelly, Kathryn Grayson—12.

11:30—Johnny Apollo (1940 son-saves-father), Tyrone Power, Lamour. Avoid it at all costs—13.

C-11:45—Actors and Sin (1953 Ben Hecht storiees), Edward G. Robinson, Eddie Albert—2.

12:00—Murder My Sweet (1944 Raymond Chandler private eye), Dick Powell. Out of date—7.

1:05 a.m.—Prize of Gold (fair 1955 postwar crime), Richard Widmark, Nigel Patrick, Mai Zetterling—5.

1:30—Manhunt (1941 kill-Hitler claptrap), Walter Pidgeon. So old it should be burned—13.

Channel 9 schedule — 9:00 a.m., Nativity; 9:15, Languages and Science; 10:00, Animals Look at Christmas; 10:30, Science; 10:45, Merrily Sing; 11:00, Science Concepts; 11:15, Language Lane; 12:45, Listen and Say; 1:00 p.m., Science and Languages; 1:45, Merrily Sing; 2:00, Language Lane; 2:20, Wordsmith; 2:45, Silent Night; 4:30, Languages; 5:00, Show Me; 5:15, Shadowtime; 5:30, What's News; 6:00, Current Books; 6:30, Mass housing; 7:00, Common market talk; 7:30, Spectrum; 8:00, Thailand special; 9:00, Oceanography; 9:30, Ancient World.

Channel 13 schedule—7:00 a.m., Seattle show; 1:30 p.m., Jerry Holzinger; 3:30, Penny and Pals; 4:00, Movie; 5:30, News; 6:00, Bachelor Father; 6:30, M-Squad; 7:00, Cain's Hundred; 8:00, Car racing; 9:00, Wrestling; 10:00, News; 10:30, True Story; 11:00, Movies with Jacob Marley; 3:30 a.m., News; 4:00, Bachelor Father; 4:30, M-Squad; 5:00, Cain's Hundred; 6:00, Quest for Adventure; 6:30, Scope.

Monday's Radio

9:15 a.m.—Greater Victoria school children's choirs at this time each weekday this week—CKDA (980).

6:15—More school choirs—CKDA.

6:30 p.m.—Mozart's Musical Joke by a chamber group including ex-Victorian Corol McCartney—CBU-FM.

8:00—An odd hour: 1942 wartime propaganda broadcasts, then a Wilf Carter salute on his 63rd birthday—CBU.

11:30—Voices: Birgit Nilsson and Jon Vickers talk about and sing Wagner—CBU-FM.

★—Recommended; C-Color.

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Television for Sunday

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Time	CBUT Channel 2	KOMO-TV Channel 4	KING-TV Channel 5	CHEK-TV Channel 6	KIRO-TV Channel 7	CHAN-TV Channel 8	KTNT-TV Channel 11	KVOS-TV Channel 12	Time
8:00		Sears, Bulls, Bucks	Town Hall		Lamp to My Feet			12 Special	8:00
8:30		Beagles	Sound; Dean		Mormon Choice			Bible Class	8:30
9:00		Magilla Gorilla	This Is the Life		Morning Worship			Anchor	9:00
9:30	French Programs	Milton the Monster	Workshop		TBA; Football			Cartoons; Football	9:30
10:00	French Programs	Linus Lionhearted	Workshop		NFL Football			NFL Football	10:00
10:30	NFL Football	Peter Potamus	Eternal Light	NFL Football	NFL Football			NFL Football	10:30
11:00	NFL Football	Bullwinkle	Harry Truman	NFL Football	NFL Football	Nobel Lectures		NFL Football	11:00
11:30	NFL Football	Discovery	Movie	NFL Football	NFL Football	Nobel Lectures	News (11:45)	NFL Football	11:30
12:00	NFL Football	Brainsville	Movie	NFL Football	NFL Football	Man of World	Rex Humbard	NFL Football	12:00
12:30	NFL Football	Brainsville	Movie	NFL Football	NFL Football	Man of World	Rex Humbard	NFL Football	12:30
1:00	Sports	Directions	Movie	Sports	NFL Football	Spectrum	Bible Class	NFL Football	1:00
1:30	Movie	Issues, Answers	AFL Football	Question Period	NFL Football	Question Period	Kathryn Kuhlman	NFL Football	1:30
2:00	Movie	Schoolhouse	AFL Football	Outdoors Unltd.	NFL Football	Outdoors Unltd.	Voice of Calvary	NFL Football	2:00
2:30	Movies	Movie	AFL Football	Movie	NFL Football	Movie	Movie	NFL Football	2:30
3:00	Movie	Movie	AFL Football	Movie	NFL Football	Movie	Movie	NFL Football	3:00
3:30	Movie	Movie	AFL Football	Movie	Joe Pyne	Movie	Movie	Cartoons	3:30
4:00	Movie; Garden	Movie	AFL Football	Horst Koehler	Joe Pyne	Horst Koehler	Maverick	Cartoons	4:00
4:30	Country Calendar	Scope	Face to Face	Country Calendar	Joe Pyne	United Soccer	Maverick	Cartoons	4:30
5:00	Man Alive	Bowling	Meet the Press	Man Alive	Wagon Train	United Soccer	Rawhide	Addams Family	5:00
5:30	Hymn Sing	Bowling	College Bowl	Virginian	Wagon Train	Virginian	Rawhide	Honeymooners	5:30
6:00	Walt Disney	Challenge	Movie	Virginian	Wagon Train	Virginian	Movie	Movie	6:00
6:30	Walt Disney	News	Movie	Virginian	Family Affair	Virginian	Movie	Movie	6:30
7:00	Green Acres	Voyage	Movie	Green Acres	Grinch	Monkees	Movie	Movie	7:00
7:30	Flashback	Voyage	Walt Disney	Flashback	Gentle Ben	FBI	Movie	Movie	7:30
8:00	Ed Sullivan	Paths of Eden	Walt Disney	Ed Sullivan	Ed Sullivan	FBI	Movie	Ed Sullivan	8:00
8:30	Ed Sullivan	Paths of Eden	Mothers-in-Law	Ed Sullivan	Ed Sullivan	Dream of Jeannie	Merv Griffin	Ed Sullivan	8:30
9:00	Bonanza	Movie	Bonanza	Bonanza	Smothers Brothers	Smothers Brothers	Merv Griffin	Smothers Brothers	9:00
9:30	Bonanza	Movie	Bonanza	Bonanza	Smothers Brothers	Smothers Brothers	Wild Bounty	Smothers Brothers	9:30
10:00	The Way It Is	Movie	High Chaparral	The Way It Is	Mission Imposs.	W 5	Door to Life	Hogan's Heroes	10:00
10:30	The Way It Is	Movie	High Chaparral	The Way It Is	Mission Imposs.	W 5	Ask Your Doctor	12 Special	10:30
11:00	News, Sports	Movie	Secret Agent	News	News; Pyne	News	Madrigal Singers	Death Valley Days	11:00
11:30	Movie	News	Secret Agent	Movie	Joe Pyne	Crossfire	Gideon	Movie	11:30
12:00	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie			Gideon	Movie	12:00
12:30	Movie	Movie	Movie	Movie			News	Movie	12:30

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Time	CBUT Channel 2	KOMO-TV Channel 4	KING-TV Channel 5	CHEK-TV Channel 6	KIRO-TV Channel 7	CHAN-TV Channel 8	KTNT-TV Channel 11	KVOS-TV Channel 12	Time
8:00		Buddy Webber	Telescope	Pete's Place	J. P. Patches	Pete's Place		Capt. Kangaroo	8:00
8:30		Webber; Movie	Telescope	Romper Room	Capt. Kangaroo	Romper Room		Capt. Kangaroo	8:30
9:00		Movie	Snap Judgment	Mr. and Mrs.	News	Mr. and Mrs.		Cartoons	9:00
9:30		Movie	Concentration	Ed Allen	Beverly Hillbillies	Ed Allen		Beverly Hillbillies	9:30
10:00	King's Outlaw	Movie	Personality	King's Outlaw	Andy Griffith	Jean Cannem		Andy Griffith	10:00
10:30	Giant; Helena	Donna Reed	Hollywood Squares	Giant; Helena	Dick Van Dyke	Jean Cannem	Farm; News	Dick Van Dyke	10:30
11:00	Mr. Dressup	Temptation	Jeopardy	Pipeline	Love of Life	Pipeline	Romper Room	Love of Life	11:00
11:30	Pick of the Week	Mother-in-Law	Eye Guess	Pipeline	Search; Light	Pipeline	Romper Room	Merv Griffin	11:30
12:00	Luncheon Date	Everybody Talking	News	Noon Show	Password	News; Santa	Movie	Merv Griffin	12:00
12:30	Search: Light	Treasure Isle	Wunda Wunda	Movie	As World Turns	Movie	Movie	Merv Griffin	12:30
1:00	Coronation Street	Fugitive	The Doctors	Movie	Many Splendored	Movie	Movie	Many Splendored	1:00
1:30	As World Turns	Fugitive	Another World	Movie	Houseparty	Movie	Movie	Houseparty	1:30
2:00	Many Splendored	Newlywed Game	You Don't Say	Movie; Coffee	To Tell Truth	Movie; Coffee	Girl Talk	To Tell Truth	2:00
2:30	Girl Talk	Dream Girl	Match Game	People in Conflict	Edge of Night	People in Conflict	Divorce Court	Secret Storm	2:30
3:00	Take 30	General Hospital	Make a Deal	Take 30	Secret Storm	Magistrate Court	Highway Patrol	Mike Douglas	3:00
3:30	Edge of Night	Dark Shadows	Truth or Conseq.	Edge of Night	Perry Mason	It's Your Move	Gigantor	Mike Douglas	3:30
4:00	Bonnie Prudden	Dating Game	Stan Boreson	Bonnie Prudden	Perry Mason	Dennis the Menace	Cartoons	Cartoons	4:00
4:30	Forest Rangers	Beaver	Mike Douglas	Forest Rangers	J. P. Patches	Flintstones	The Munsters	Cartoons	4:30
5:00	Rocket Robinhood	Mr. Ed	Mike Douglas	See the Wizard	Patches; News	See the Wizard	Dennis the Menace	Cartoons	5:00
5:30	Let's Go	Favorite Martian	Mike Douglas	See the Wizard	News	See the Wizard	Flintstones	Movie	5:30
6:00	Cuisine	News	News	News	Movie	News, Sports	Gilligan's Island	Movie	6:00
6:30	News	News	News	Lassie	Movie	Pipeline	Hazel	News	6:30
7:00	Seven Show	Exploration NW	McHale's Navy	Windfall	Movie	Second Century	Movie	Movie	7:00
7:30	Don Messer	Cowboy in Africa	Monkees	Don Messer	Gunsmoke	Lucille Ball	Movie	Gunsmoke	7:30
8:00	Show of the Week	Cowboy in Africa	Man from UNCLE	Show of the Week	Gunsmoke	Bewitched	Movie	Gunsmoke	8:00
8:30	Show of the Week	Rat Patrol	Man from UNCLE	Show of the Week	Lucille Ball	Family Affair	Movie	Password	8:30
9:00	FP Challenge	Felony Squad	Danny Thomas	FP Challenge	Andy Griffith	Country Music	Merv Griffin	Perry Mason	9:00
9:30	Dundee, Culhane	Peyton Place	Danny Thomas	Dundee, Culhane	Movie	I Spy	Merv Griffin	Perry Mason	9:30
10:00	Dundee, Culhane	Big Valley	I Spy	Dundee, Culhane	Movie	I Spy	Merv Griffin	Naked City	10:00
10:30	The Other Creek	Big Valley	I Spy	N.Y.P.D.	Movie	Face of Hunger	News	Naked City	10:30
11:00	News	News	News	News	Movie	News	Alfred Hitchcock	Movie	11:00
11:30	Sports; Movie	Joey Bishop	Johnny Carson	Perry's Probe	News	Perry's Probe	Bat Masterson	Movie	11:30
12:00	Movie	Joey Bishop	Johnny Carson	Perry; News	Movie	Perry; News	News	Movie	12:00
12:30	Movie	Joey Bishop	Johnny Carson	News Roundup	Movie	News Roundup		Movie	12:30

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Winning Contract

By HOWARD SCHENKEN and RICHARD L. FREY

BRIDGE QUIZ: The most rewarding doubles are against low-level contracts. By the time the auction reaches a higher level, experienced players will have learned quite a lot about their hands and will seldom do anything wild. At a low level, your opponents may well choose the wrong moment to stick their necks out.

Therefore, although you shouldn't bid on luck, you should certainly double on it—viz., your opponents' bad luck. Consider a double whenever their trump suit is breaking badly. (Q-J-9-2 of trumps behind declarer is a far better double than A-K.)

Finally, in many doubling situations, a shortage in your partner's suit is almost as valuable as length in the opponents' suit.

What is your call on each of the following hands? Neither side vulnerable.

a.

North	East	South	West
1♢	2♣	?	

South holds:
♠K 8 5 3 ♡A J 8
♢J 10 ♣J 10 6 2

b.

West	North	East	South
1♠	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♡	Pass	3♣	?

South holds:
♠A K 8 ♡K 7 2
♢Q J 7 6 ♣A 9 8

c.

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	1♠	2♢
?			

South holds:
♠10 ♡Q 9 3 2
♢K 10 4 ♣A 8 7 3 2

d.

West	North	East	South
Pass	1♡	2♣	?

South holds:
♠A 5 ♡K J 9 4
♢9 8 4 ♣A K 6 4

e.

East	South	West	North
1♡	Pass	1♠	Pass
1 N.T.	Pass	2 N.T.	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♡	Pass
4♠	?		

South holds:
♠2 ♡K Q 10 7
♢Q 10 5 3 ♣K J 7 4

ANSWERS TO BRIDGE QUIZ:

a. Double. This is a typical hand on which to double on your opponents' bad luck. Although South has only 1 point in trumps, it is certain to be worth an "unexpected" trick.

b. Pass. Although South has 17 high-card points, there is no reason to suppose that the opponents are out of their depth.

c. Double. A double on a three-card trump holding which contains a quick entry is often the best move if you are short in partner's suit and have no convenient constructive bid to make.

d. Three clubs. A double almost invariably works out disappointingly when you have very strong support for partner's suit. In this instance, a cue-bid in the opponents' suit, followed by support for hearts, is recommended.

e. Double. This type double can be the most profitable of all—a "psychological" double based on the trump tricks you expect your partner to have. (It is clear that E-W do not have more than eight trumps between them.) With every suit breaking badly, the deal could well be a death trap for declarer.

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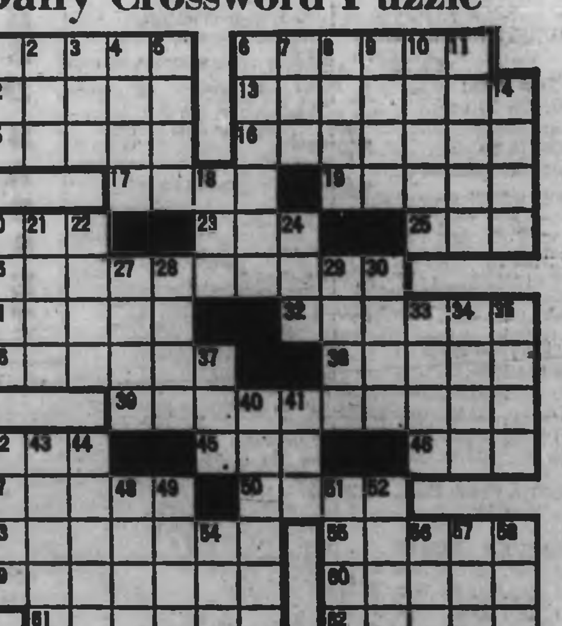

ACROSS
1 Sir Arthur Conan ——
6 Sherlock ——
12 Standard of perfection
13 Eschewed
15 Chess pieces
16 Tell
17 Defunct
19 Evil spirit
20 Frequently (poet.)
23 Breed
25 Plank's curve on ship
26 Investigator (2 words)
31 Son of Gaea (myth.)
32 Athapascan Indian
36 Impassive
38 German physicist (1804-1891)
39 "It's ——, my dear Watson."
42 Biblical boat
45 At present
46 Slater's tool
47 Blue
50 Transaction
53 Sequester
55 221 B —— Street
59 Legislator
60 Foe
61 Sherlock's friend.
62 Legal document

DOWN
1 Partial immersion
2 Seraglio room
3 Coniferous shrub
4 Disembark
5 Otherwise
6 Deal with
7 Eggs
8 Nobleman
9 Deep mud
10 Imported cheeses
11 Incite (2 words)
14 Refuse to grant
18 River islet
20 Selects
21 Partly fused glass
22 Belgrade big wig
24 Cognizance
27 Valley (poet.)
28 Source of indigo
29 Sign of boredom
30 Newt (var.)
33 Near East garments
34 Wife of Zeus
35 African antelope
37 Private retreat
40 New-fashioned
41 Female sheep
42 Sacred bull of Egypt
43 Realtich
44 Swedish coin
48 Pummel (dial.)
49 Consumes food
51 Eve's son (Bib.)
52 Narrow road
54 Likewise
56 New Zealand parrot
57 Type measure
58 Cereal grass

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Even bloodhound with white coat can appreciate his very first Christmas. White Banners, left, was born just 12 weeks ago, and he's ready to help with seasonal decorating. White Banners is Samoyed from Peg and Bud Bishop's Totem Kennels at Sproat Lake. He would make pretty lovely gift himself, but proud owners say he is not for sale.—(Mary Taylor)

The camera caught red-bellied sapsucker at work above, on an apple tree near Quamicham Lake, on outskirts of Duncan. The tree is covered in small holes, made by the furious pecking of bird, which returns following day to enjoy sap seeping out of holes, and any luckless insects which happened to get caught. This particular bird is a male, identifiable by bright red breast and head.—(Agnes Flett)

Cowichan Valley Boosts Cheer

Santa Receives Aid

DUNCAN — A group of dedicated men and women began to pack hampers to bring Christmas cheer to the needy in the Cowichan Valley.

Cowichan Christmas Cheer Fund committee chairman Harold Allman said last year a total of 183 hampers were taken by volunteers to homes in the Cowichan Valley, and an additional number of small parcels were presented to people in rest homes and Duncan's Chinatown.

Mr. Allman said "Although the Cheer Fund committee work is supposedly assisted by service clubs and fraternal organizations, only the Duncan Kiwanis and the Duncan Gyro Club have shown any interest in the work so far this year."

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Members of St. John's Anglican Church bagged one and a half tons of potatoes which will be part of the hampers.

Other articles to go in each hamper will be a voucher for a turkey, vegetables, sugar, tea, coffee, soup, candies and one toy for each child.

Purchasing agent for the Cheer Fund committee, Bill Burak, said "As in the past all groceries and supplies have to be bought in faith that the more fortunate people will donate money to the good cause, which will bring smiles and happiness to the less fortunate ones of our community."

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Mr. Allman said last year a total of $3,000 was spent and, "We expect about the same this year."

The delivery of the hampers will be made by members of the Duncan Gyro Club, Dec. 17.

Mr. Allman said "I appeal to the public to remember the Christmas Cheer Fund.

"We shall accept donations until long after Christmas and that money will be used for next year."

Meanwhile in Nanaimo, persons wanting to see Santa's workshop don't have to travel to the north pole, but simply arrange a visit to the Brannan Lake boys school.

The boys, who have been placed in the school for reasons ranging from theft and other criminal convictions, to being in need of a better place to live than their broken homes, have taken on the job of toy makers.

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They also repair and repaint toys so children who might receive nothing from Santa, might awake to a much brighter Christmas than usual.

For the past three weeks, the boys have been working hard in their spare time.

"We used to send out 400 hampers, but now we send almost 700," he said.

Pitlamp Raid Costly

GANGES — Two Richmond men have been fined a total of $1,850 in Magistrate's Court for pitlamping.

Before Magistrate M. F. Peller, Herbert Higo and Samuel Alexander pleaded guilty to hunting at night with lights near Galiano Golf Club on Galiano Island.

RCMP from Ganges were called to arrest the two.

Prosecutor Corporal F. C. Rhodes said the men shot a doe.

Alexander had been previously convicted of assault and and contributing to juvenile delinquency.

Higo had been previously charged with having an untagged deer, plus several motor vehicle offences.

Higo was fined $600 or 90 days imprisonment, Alexander was sentenced to 90 days, which the magistrate later reduced to a fine of $750 when he heard the defendant had six children and he had only been released from jail in October.

Both men asked for time to pay which was refused, and the men were taken into custody until the fines were paid.

New District Okayed, West Nanaimo Formed

NANAIMO — West Nanaimo improvement district will be formed. This was the resolution of a meeting Saturday between Wellington fire protection and Wellington water works districts; and Northfield and Harewood improvement districts.

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Trustees of the districts met with Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs J. E. Brown in a cumulative effort that has spanned many years.

The new district will, according to the resolution passed unanimously, "assume all assets and liabilities of the former four districts, and:

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"Water distribution and sewage collection will be charged on existing rates for operation and debt repayment in accordance with the existing areas.

The board will total 15, with five representatives from each area, until 1970.

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A vote, May 25, 1968, over the whole of the three areas will be held to enable the new improvement district representatives to petition for West Nanaimo to become a municipality.

A. Rod Glen said, "This covers a population of 10,000.

"Mountain district, the area along Jinglepot Road, may come in later."

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He said that district had indicated it would like to become part of the larger improvement district, during earlier negotiations, and that the new board will probably meet with their representatives with this in mind.

He said the representatives all were elated over the possibilities.

Motorist Injured

DUNCAN — Marvin Huston, 22, is in fair condition in Victoria's St. Joseph's Hospital with head injuries received when the car in which he was travelling crashed on the Malahat Saturday morning.

The driver, Murray Bennett, 24, also of Duncan, was treated and allowed to leave.

The Victoria-bound car skidded off the icy road at Tunnel Hill Curve, smashed into a rock and hit a car coming in the opposite direction.

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In the Matter of the Estate of ARTHUR JOHN COLLETT, deceased, late of 3680 Richmond Road, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Arthur John Collett deceased, late of 3680 Richmond Road, Victoria, B.C., are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor, at P.O. Box 340, Victoria, B.C., before the 19th of January, 1968, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of December, 1967.

HUGH LARRATT HENDERSON, Executor.

By his Solicitors,
Harman & Company,
Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE
PRIVATE BILLS

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to Standing Orders, no Petition for any Private Bill shall be received by the House in its forthcoming Session after Monday, the 5th day of February, 1968.

Dated November 20, 1967.

E. K. DeBECK,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
British Columbia.

To: James F. Rae and Clara E. Rae, formerly of 963 Admirals Road, Victoria, British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, 1967, No. A 649-1967 by Associated Investors of Canada Ltd. in which th plaintiff's claim is for:

(a) An accounting of mortgage registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office under number 218028-G as assigned by instrument number 218064-G and covering ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Municipality of Esquimalt in the Province of British Columbia and more particularly known and described as Parcel "A" (D.D. 362749-I) of Lot One Hundred and Forty-five (145), Suburban Lot Forty-three (43), Esquimalt District, Plan 3834.

(b) Payment of the amount found due on the account as mentioned in subparagraph (a).

(c) Cancellation of mortgage registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office as number 211938-G.

(d) Judgments against you, the said Defendants.

(e) Possession of the said mortgaged lands and premises.

(f) Appointment of a Receiver.

(g) Lis Pendens.

(h) Costs

(i) For all accounts, directions and the purpose aforesaid and for such further and other relief as the Honourable The Supreme Court may seem just.

AND THAT it has been ordered that service of the Writ of Summons and the Statement of Claims in the said action on you be effected by this advertisement. If you desire to defend the said action, you must within twenty-one (21) days from the publication of this advertisement, inclusive of the day of such publication, enter an appearance at The Supreme Court Registry, Victoria, British Columbia. In default of such appearance, judgment may be entered against you.

HALLATT, STEWART & COMPANY,
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570 Bentall Building,
1070 Douglas Street,
Victoria, British Columbia,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

Dated the 30th day of November, A.D. 1967.

British Columbia Hyydro and Power Authority
Invites Tenders for the Following

Description	Reference	Closing Date
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Sealed tenders clearly marked as above-referenced will be received in Room 638 (for CQ's) in Room 650 (for BQ's), B.C. Hydro and Power Authority Building, 970 Burrard Street, Vancouver 1, B.C., until 12:00 Noon, closing dates as above.

Details may be obtained at the office of the Purchasing Department, 6th floor, 970 Burrard Street, Vancouver 1, B.C., telephone Mutual 3-8711, Local 2679 (for CQ's), Local 2597 (for BQ's).

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Garden Notes

Leave Them Alone

By M. V. CHESNUT

PERUVIAN LILY (E.E.S., Duncan) — I wouldn't worry too much about the poor growth made by your Alstroemerias since they were purchased and planted last spring. These plants are notoriously slow starters and it is quite common for them to stand still and do almost nothing in their first year. Failure to recognize this sluggish trait is a common cause of failure; folks get impatient and move them in the hope of improving their performance, but this just sets them back another year.

Just leave them alone and they are quite sure to pick up and bloom in their own good time. Once they are settled down, do not transplant oftener than every third year.

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GRANDMOTHER'S RINGLETS (A.J., Victoria) — The twig you sent me for indentification is from a shrub called Leycesteria formosa, a native of the Himalayan foothills and named in honor of Chief Justice William Leycester of Bengal. The specific name, formosa, means "handome.".

Because of the curly, pendant racemes of purplish blossoms, it is nicknamed Grandmother's Ringlets. Its fruit is a berry much appreciated by birds.

The shrub grows to about six feet tall, blooming from July to September, and is not at all difficult to grow, either from seeds or from young cuttings taken before the stems become hollow.

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PRUNING FORSYTHIA (G.L., Brentwood) — The recommended time for the pruning of forsythia is just after the blossoms fade, but actually, you won't go too far wrong if you do the job while the shrub is in full bloom, combining pruning with flower-gathering. Cut armfuls of the lovely sprays to arrange in your vases and bowls, making your delection from shoots where the bloom is just a little on the thin side.

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GOLDEN ROD (H.G.McT., Royal Oak) — The ordinary form of Golden Rod, Solidago canadensis, would be too tall for your narrow flower bed. Its normal height is five to six feet, which would be out of proportion in a bed only two-and-a-half feet deep, although it makes an excellent and long-blooming plant for the larger perennial borders.

There are some dwarf kinds in the family, though, which would be suitable for your purpose. Some good ones are Golden Falls and Lineralis, 20 inches in height; Wendy, 18 inches, and Leraft, with a bushy habit of growth and standing only 15 inches tall. One charming little Golden Rod called Nana seldom exceeds nine inches in height.

Incidentally, the old belief that Golden Rod should never be grown by hay fever sufferers is not founded on fact. Medical authorities tell us now that the pollen from Golden Rod is no better and no worse than the pollen from any other plant.

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FIRE HAZARD (W.S., Victoria) — Sodium chlorate, sometimes used to kill all weeds and grass in paths and driveways, is no more poisonous to animals than common salt, sodium chloride. There is some danger in its use, however, as the spray residue after drying becomes highly inflammable.

I remember on one occasion some years ago, after treating a weedy cinder path with this chemical, I lit a cigarette and threw down the match, whereupon the whole path burst into flames, scaring the living daylights out of me. Great care must be taken to avoid contaminating the clothing and shoes; I heard of one case where a gardener set his pants on fire merely by slapping himself on the thigh!

I understand that sodium chlorate can be purchased in a non-combustible form under the trade name Atlacide, and there are other safe products on the market for the killing of all plant life. Niagara Brand Clearit, Green Cross Vegetation Killer, Chipman's Driveway Weed Killer and Lefer's Calcide Vegetation Killer are all safe and effective soil sterilants.

ART BUCHWALD Tries to Help Out

State Department Stumped

WASHINGTON — U.S. Ambassador Charles Bohlen is coming home from France, and a desperate search is now underway to find a suitable replacement.

Most Americans would like to send over Bonnie and Clyde, but President Johnson still hasn't made up his mind.

"He should be a man," a high state department official told me the other day, "who understands de Gaulle, will be welcomed by the French foreign ministry, and has access to the Elysee Palace at all times."

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"That sounds like Premier Kosygin."

"No," said the official, "he has to be an American."

"I knew it wouldn't be easy," I said.

"Our candidate must also understand the problems of gold."

"What about Arthur Goldberg?"

"Are you going to be serious or are you going to mess around?"

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"I'm sorry."

"He also has to be able to present Great Britain's case for admittance into the Common Market."

"Too bad Twiggy isn't a man," I said.

"Not only that, but the new American ambassador must be able to explain the U.S. commitment in Vietnam in terms that de Gaulle will understand."

"Then you've got to go with Dr. Spock."

"I don't think he's under consideration," the state department official huffed.

"Why don't you send over a general?" I suggested.

"De Gaulle doesn't seem to have much use for American generals. It reminds him too much of what the American army did for him in the Second World War."

"Well, how about a businessman?"

"No, that reminds him too much of what the United States did to build up France after the Second World War."

"Then send a doctor," I pleaded.

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"That wouldn't work either. De Gaulle would think we were concerned about his health, which of course we're not."

"I don't envy your job. What about McNamara?"

"It's too late. You see, President Johnson didn't tell him about the World Bank job first, so it would be hard not to tell him about the ambassadorship now."

"There's always Bobby Kennedy."

"I've heard the president say many times he'd like to send Bobby somewhere, but it was never Paris."

"We probably don't have diplomatic relations with the place the president wants to send him," I said.

"I'm afraid not," the state department official replied.

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"Well, there's got to be somebody in the United States who would be acceptable to President de Gaulle. What about a clergyman?"

"We've considered it, but de Gaulle doesn't like to be reminded there's another deity."

"This is ridiculous," I said. "Do you realize if you don't appoint an American ambassador to France, the U.S. will have no communication with de Gaulle at all?"

"The idea gets more appealing as each day goes by."

Stars Work Non-Stop

SHEILAH GRAHAM

HOLLYWOOD (NANA) — **Katharine Hepburn** and **Peter O'Toole** have a new way of working that could catch on with everyone. They report to the set of The Lion in Winter, being filmed near Dublin, at 9 a.m. and work right through until 4 p.m. without breaking. "Because," as producer **Marty Poll** explained to me by telephone from Dublin, "most of the scenes are so intense, they don't want to dissipate the mood by stopping for lunch, or coffee or tea breaks." Neither Kate nor Peter use any makeup at all, and both bicycle five miles to work and back every day.

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When **Ingrid Bergman** extended the run of her More Stately Mansions play on Broadway from January 15 to mid-March, she unwittingly did her co-star, **Arthur Hill**, out of the best film role of his career. **Burt Lancaster** wanted him as his running mate in Castle Keep to start Jan. 16 in Yugoslavia. Arthur could have just kept the date. Too bad.

Producer **Norman Lear** came up with an exact voice-double for the late **Bert Lahr**, who will dub Bert's gravelly tones for the remaining scenes in The Night They Raided Minsky's. Another actor will play Lahr in the long shots taken with his back to the camera. Otherwise it would have meant scrapping the whole picture and starting from scratch with another actor.

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Carn Reiner's Something Different play has caught on in New York in spite of mixed reviews. This doesn't happen very often. The critics can kill a play before the public has a chance to make up its mind. **Gabriel Dell**, one of the stars, is so confident of a long run, he has sent for his family to join him.

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The star-actor-husband of a famed actress of stage and screen, spent two nights at a hotel in New York. I hope he will be home in time for Christmas with the kiddies.

SYDNEY HARRIS

Airs His Thoughts

If communism had not come into being 50 years ago, the masses of people in non-Communist countries would have had to devise some other menace to provide an object for their fears, an outlet for their anger, and a reason for the chronically fouled-up state of world affairs.

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Everybody is in favor of "dissent" — as long as it remains politely ineffective which is to say, as long as it is a gesture, and not a movement.

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It is usually the same people who object to our "squandering" money abroad to help foreign nations instead of "helping our own," who at the same time object to "helping our own" if such aid goes to groups or classes they do not belong to.

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One approach to understanding the inner meaning of the hippie movement is found in Jung's deep observation long ago: "Nothing has a stronger influence psychologically on their children's environment than the unlived life of the parents."

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Having a definite purpose makes us stronger and more successful; but it also makes us narrower and less attractive; to imagine otherwise is to delude ourselves that we can get a great deal without paying a great deal for it.

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One of the biggest mistakes the layman makes is assuming that what we call "intelligence" is wholly an inborn trait; whereas, biologists know that intelligence has only a 30 to 50 per cent genetic component, and the rest is determined by environmental and other factors.

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Our drug laws are incredibly outmoded, for in the next five to 10 years we will have a hundredfold increase in the number and types of drugs capable of affecting the mind; and this must become a medico-social matter rather than simply a legal one.

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You can persuade people to change their minds by appealing to fear and anxiety — but if the fears are too intense, people will simply repress the whole thing; this is why, in my opinion, the lung cancer threat has not substantially decreased cigarette smoking, whereas a more moderate campaign might have had deeper and more permanent effect.

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Many men are honest by circumstance who think themselves honest by conviction; as the Talmud says: "The thief who finds no opportunity to steal calls himself an honest man."

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In any passionate conflict, the extremists on both sides manage to demolish the moderates on their own side by calling them secret sympathizers with the other side, impugning their loyalty, and in the end making it impossible to resolve the conflict short of war.

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Where Fireman Died

Fireman D. J. Lawson, 47, of Richmond, was killed Friday night and two other trainmen were injured when two runaway diesel units collided with freight train in tunnel near Boston Bar. Photo shows scene at wreck site.

'Worst in 20 Years'

Raging Manhattan Fire Burns Christmas Mail

NEW YORK (UPI)—An 11-alarm fire, feeding on tons of Christmas parcels and other mail, raced through a huge midtown Manhattan post office Friday night and early Saturday.

Some 2,000 employees in the building managed to make their way to safety or were rescued by firemen.

Twelve persons were injured, none seriously, in the blaze described as the worst single building fire in the city in the last two decades. About 600 firemen using more than 120 pieces of equipment, including a super-pumper and aerial ladders, battled the blaze at its height.

Firemen finally managed to bring the blaze under control some eight hours after the first alarm was sounded. Mail sacks in the basement lay submerged under five feet of water.

Sheets of ice covered some sections of the street in the predawn hours and icicles hung from windows of the gutted building as the flames were brought under control. The streets were littered with glass from windows either blown out by the fire or smashed by firefighters.

SACK OBSTACLES

Firemen were hampered by sacks of mail piled throughout the lower floors of the building and one fire official hinted that the holocaust was perhaps the result of federal fire standards which are not as stiff as city regulations.

"The open shafts filled with highly combustible material . . . make this the most difficult kind of fire to handle," said Lt. Martin Heyer of the fire department's community relations division. He said the city could not eliminate the hazard because federal regulations supersede those of the city.

SAFETY PATH

Many of the postal employees on the 4 p.m. to midnight shift managed to make their way to safety. Others were rescued by firemen wearing masks who led them through thick, choking smoke down stairwells and into the frigid night.

Smoke and flames billowed from the building which remained brightly lit because crews were blocked from reaching an underground emergency cutoff switch by the mass of firefighting equipment.

BROKEN WINDOWS

The temperature hovered at the freezing level and 32-mile-an-hour gusts of wind roaring through broken windows helped feed the blaze.

Three employees were trapped on the top floor by the blaze and firemen swung their huge aerial ladders into action. The 85-foot ladders fell short, however, and the firefighters, using scaling ladders and battling the gusty winds, climbed from the seventh to the 10th storey floor by floor to rescue the men.

NO BOMB

Fire Chief John O'Hagan called the blaze the worst single building fire he had seen in New York City in 20 years.

Both O'Hagan and fire Commissioner Robert Lowery, referring to last week's bomb which was planted in a package marked "medical supplies" destined for Cuba, said the fire was not caused by an explosion.

"There is no evidence that the fire was caused by a bomb," O'Hagan said.

A department spokesman said however, that "arson can not be ruled out at this time."

Many of the estimated 11,000,000 parcels and pieces of mail were destroyed.

Priceless Tag Affixed To Two-Week Salute

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — Daphne's Funeral Service and Cathay Mortuary announced Friday they would offer free funerals up to $500 from Saturday through the end of the year.

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In Negro Riots

Quick Action Vital To Avoid 'Warfare'

WASHINGTON (AP)—A sociologist summoned for advice on how to ease United States racial tensions says violent repression of city riots will lead to "expanding guerrilla warfare between the races until the entire country becomes a tinderbox, like South Africa."

The alternative, he told the presidential advisory commission on civil disorders, is to deal quickly "with grievances that make the ghetto boil over and that encourage police, the troops and their supporters in the white population to resort to excessive repression in return."

DEEP-SEATED

But Herbert J. Gans, Columbia University professor of sociology and education, said he sees no quick way to redress the grievances because they are deep-seated and complicated.

He said they can be cured only by long-range programs that virtually would revolutionize human relationships in the U.S. by eliminating injustices, inequities and segregation in all walks of life.

He said that if the government gives emphatic evidence it is sincerely trying to solve the problem a large number of Negroes may "remain patient a while longer."

WITNESSES CALLED

The commission called witnesses for advice on what quick steps can be taken before next summer to forestall new outbreaks.

One witness, M. Carl Holman, deputy staff director of the U.S. commission on civil rights, said he asked his aides what can be done within nine months to defuse the tensions.

"They deliberated for a while and then said, 'Pray.' " Holman told the hearing.

Gans said evidence suggests nothing except complete saturation of an area by police and troops can stop widespread looting once it starts.

If this is correct, he said, "it might seem wise to withdraw the police from the ghetto altogether and to cordon off the area until the rebellion has spent itself."

Gans recommended the abandonment, eventually, of welfare programs except for the aged and disabled and substituting instead a negative income-tax plan and family allowance.

Such plans would designate a certain income—for instance $3,000—as basic. Families earning more than this would pay income taxes. Families earning less would be paid by the government.

A typical plan would give them a government payment based on a percentage of what they earned, but would not increase their earnings above $3,000. If they earned nothing they would be given a guaranteed annual wage, but under $3,000.

Desert Under Snow

By United Press International

CHICAGO (UPI) — The great storm which paralyzed much of the southwest, from California to New Mexico, inched slowly northeastward Saturday, dropping more snow on the Rockies and spreading snow and sleet through the Great Plains. The cold reached Dixie.

Hazardous driving warnings were up Saturday in sections of 13 states, from California to South Dakota. The four-day weather death toll reached 22, with 12 of the deaths in Texas.

Skies were clearing in southern California, but chains were required for cars between Los Angeles and Las Vegas. Four inches of snow covered the Antelope Valley and most of the normally hot, arid Mohave Desert.

Truck Load Collapse Factor?

PITTSBURGH (UPI) — Overload and old age could have caused the collapse of the Silver Bridge at Point Pleasant, W. Va., a prominent engineer said Saturday.

Dr. Thomas Stelson, head of the Carnegie-Mellon Institute's department of civil engineering, cited eyewitness reports that traffic on one lane of the bridge was almost bumper to bumper with a least four semi-trailers grouped at one end.

Witnesses said the semi-trailers were about three feet apart.

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Stelson said that, while he does not know the design standards that prevailed when the bridge was built in 1928, today's requirements call for the spacing of trucks on bridges according to their geometrics.

The distances required vary from state to state, Stelson said, but in all of them it is much greater than three feet.

Stelson, who plans to travel to the site of the disaster today, said the four trailers at one end would in themselves be an overload.

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Divers searching the waters of the Ohio Saturday found 57 vehicles—40 cars and 17 trucks—which had plunged from the bridge.

There also is a possibility, Stelson said, that the bridge was corroded at its anchorage. The I-bar of a suspension bridge such as the Silver span comes down into an anchorage, usually a piece of concrete.

"Where the bar is anchored there is often a corrosion problem," Stelson said.

"A defect in the structure would be clearly evident from the remains of the bridge," Stelson said. "But before the bridge breaks it might not be evident. The corrosion condition can exist under paint."

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Stelson said he does not believe, at least at the moment, that 20 barges which crashed into the piers last spring had anything to do with the failure.

"A pier failure would more likely have resulted in settlement rather than a breaking of the bridge."

Bridge Results

Winners of a monthly master point Bridge Club: north-south: 1. Marjorie Fortye and Ron Smith, 2. Ethel Cleworth and Duncan Smith, 3. Joan Smith and Cam Wallace, 4. Marjorie Eaton and Freda Small, 5. Birdie and Jim Duprau. East-west: 1. Gwen Graham and Ida Druce, 2. Dorothy Housley and Helen Sassen, 3. Frances Newall and Les Isaacson, 4. Muriel Bolton and Marjorie Mulcahy, 5. Bud Waddington and Bernard Sassen.

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The results of the annual Christmas party held by the Victoria Duplicate Bridge Club are: Section A: north-south: 1. Laura Tingley and Gwen Graham, 2. Pete Herold and Ken Hilborn, 3. George Morgan and Gordon Rodger, 4. Keith Stapleton and Harold Hancock, 5. Brian Larkey ad Al Kallberg. East-west: 1. Dora Duprau and Helen van der Vliet, 2. Les Isaacson and Ron Smith, 3½ tie: Dorothy Jennings and Joan Smith, Louis Lindholm and Joe Lukas, 5. Hilda Reid and Mable Peck.

Section B: north-south: 1. Jean Wampole and Sadie MacPherson, 2. Dan Frankham and Doris Assertind, 3. Bill Champion and Fran Newall, 4. Pat and [illegible] Bishop, 5. Ida Druce and Peggy [illegible]. East-west: 1. Pete Weir and Derek Ward, 2. Margaret and Jack McAvoy, 3. Joy Glover and Frances Waite, 4. Chris Murray and Walter Allen, 5. Dorothy and Bill McConnell. The Samuel Duprau trophy was won by Pete Weir and Derek Ward.

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VICTORIA DAILY NEWSPAPERS

'Illegal' Africa Trial Blasted

UNITED NATIONS (UPI) — The 123-nation General Assembly Saturday called on South Africa to withdraw "unconditionally and without delay" from the mandated territory of South West Africa it had administered for more than 50 years.

The assembly also called on the South African government to stop the "illegal" trial of 37 South West Africans before a court in Pretoria and release them.

TEMPORARY SURPRISE

As the assembly raced to finish its work before the pre-Christmas recess date of Dec. 19, its special political committee sprung a temporary surprise approving, by a narrow margin of votes, a resolution that would recommend the appointment of a UN custodian to administer Palestine Arab refugee property in Israel and channel its profits to the rightful owners.

This proposal, approved by 42 votes to 38, with 23 abstentions, requires a two-thirds majority in the Assembly plenary when it comes up for a vote there next Monday or Tuesday. One sponsor of the resolution said he knew the proposal could not get such a majority and will not be put to a vote.

VIOLATION CHARGE

Israeli Ambassador Michael Comay served notice if such a custodian is appointed he would not be permitted to enter Israel because his appointment would be a violation of the sovereignty of an equal member state of the UN.

His position was backed by the United States, Britain and others.

Mideast

Russians Boost Strength

CAIRO (UPI) — Six Soviet naval vessels arrived at Alexandria Saturday to boost to eight the number of Russian warships now docked in Egypt's biggest port.

The new arrivals, officially on a "goodwill visit," included four submarines, one troop ship and one command ship.

The Russian vessels joined a destroyer that arrived last week and a repair ship which had been in Alexandria harbor since July when Soviet warships paid their first visit to the Mediterranean port after the Arab-Israeli war in June.

RECENT VISIT

Arrival of the Soviet warships followed the recent visit to the United Arab Republic of a number of Soviet air force planes and came as UN representative Gunnar Jarring was on a peace swing through the Middle East.

Jarring, the UN special envoy on the Middle East crisis, held official talks Saturday with Jordanian premier Bahjat Talhouni and other top government ministers in Amman.

In Cairo, it was reported that Jordan, Morocco and Iraq were making a concerted effort to persuade Syria and Saudi Arabia to take part in next month's Arab summit conference aimed at realizing a unified Arab plan for the Middle East.

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Bridge

Body Hunt Fails

POINT PLEASANT, W. Va. (UPI)—Divers braved icy waters and swift currents Saturday night in an around-the-clock search for bodies, cars and trucks flung to the bottom of the rain - swollen Ohio River when a steel suspension bridge collapsed Friday.

The search began at dawn and by nightfall an estimated 57 vehicles were found. (See also Page 39.)

"There are indications there are 17 trucks and 40 cars," said Cmdr. A. S. Zabinski, chief of the U.S. Coast Guard station at Huntington, W. Va.

Zabinski said the speed of the currents prevented cranes from pulling any wreckage from the water.

PUSHED AWAY

"The divers were pushed away from what they were working on," he said.

At least eight persons were known dead and 45 others reported missing. Five bodies were recovered along the river banks Friday night. Three others were pinpointed in the twisted wreckage of the superstructure Saturday but had not been brought to shore.

COULD REACH 80

Commissioner T. A. Welty of the West Virginia state police estimated the death toll could reach 80 or more.

West Virginia and Ohio State officials, whose states the bridge connected, said many bodies were probably washed far downstream within hours of the accident and an accurate toll would never be known.

The three-piered span, known locally as the Silver Bridge because of its aluminum paint coating, gave way with a thunderous roar during the evening rush hour. Estimates on the number of vehicles on the bridge at the time ranged up to 100.

'SLIM HOPE'

"We are concerned with survivors or bodies," Zabinski said. "There is always hope. But it is a slim hope."

While the recovery efforts continued, there was criticism of the bridge in some circles and speculation as to what caused the collapse.

Mayor D. B. Morgan of Point Pleasant, a community of 7,000, said he noticed a "weakening" condition in the bridge 18 months ago.

Gallia County (Ohio) prosecutor John A. Epling labelled the span safe.

"Hell, I drove it every day."

—AP

Approaching Seattle slip

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Inaugural Ferry Had 90 Aboard

SEATTLE (AP)—The Ferry Matanuska, first southbound ship in Alaska's new service to Puget Sound, got a traditional harbor greeting as she arrived Saturday.

There was a fireboat salute and a public address system sent out recorded marching music. A small crowd, mostly relatives of the travellers, waited in the rain as the Matanuska docked.

The Matanuska, which left Ketchikan Thursday, five hours late, was about two hours behind schedule here but still made good time against strong headwinds.

There were 90 passengers on the southbound trip, most of them Alaskans leaving for the holidays. Ninety-three passengers were booked for the return trip Saturday afternoon.

Thirty-seven cars and 14 trailers were aboard as the Matanuska arrived.

Skindiving Expedition

AUSTRALIA'S PREMIER LOST IN SEA

Superport

● The need for speedy action on the development of the proposed superport for deepsea shipping at Roberts Bank, near Tsawwassen, is explained by the originator of the idea, Victoria's Edward M. Chisholm, in an illustrated article on Page 23 today. The author also outlines what an ideal port such as the one proposed would encompass, and the benefits for all of British Columbia, Canada and North America.

Wilson

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Brown

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Copters Join Search

MELBOURNE (AP) — Prime Minister Harold Holt was missing on a swimming outing today in a treacherous ocean area and police began a massive search after he could not be found in an initial 2½-hour combing of the beach.

The latest report from the search scene said Holt and a friend, Alan Stewart, went swimming at midday near Portsea, a resort village 37 miles south of Melbourne.

The report quoted Stewart as saying he was waiting on the beach while Holt swam about 100 yards into heavy surf, dived and disappeared.

An unconfirmed report said a woman swimming nearby saw the prime minister in difficulty.

Heavy surf still was running as foot police, skindivers, police launches and helicopters searched the area.

STRONG SWIMMER

Officials of the prime minister's staff said Holt, 59, was an experienced and strong swimmer and they would not "presume the worst" until every possible search had been completed.

"I must admit that it doesn't look good," one official said. "but it's only four o'clock and we've got another four hours of daylight yet."

First reports said Holt lost

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—AP

Prime minister in skindiving gear

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Harold Holt

'Matinee Idol' Of House

Australian Wayne Thomas joined The Colonist staff after coming to Canada from Adelaide in 1966.

By WAYNE THOMAS

Harold Holt, the friendly prime minister who spent most of his spare time swimming and skindiving, was known as the "matinee idol of Parliament" early in his political career.

The unofficial title came partly from his informality, good looks and well-tailored clothes.

But it also stemmed from his father being a theatre manager, his aunt performing on the British stage and his father remarrying (after his first wife's death) to Lola Thring, an

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Washkansky Suffering Pneumonia

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP)—Louis Washkansky, who got a new heart in a historic transplant Dec. 2, has pneumonia.

The attack is a mild form of pneumonia and a spokesman said that "under the circumstances his condition is satisfactory."

The pneumonia afflicts one lung, the spokesman said, and may not affect the heart transplant. He said there is "no reason for alarm at present."

Wilson Challenged By Cabinet Aces

By GODFREY ANDERSON

LONDON (AP)-A cabinet revolt arising from a ban on shipment of arms to South Africa has challenged Prime Minister Wilson in his role as boss.

Never before have so many of the men Wilson picked for leading posts taken sides against him. A majority of the cabinet, say reliable reports, wants the arms ban—a protest against South African apartheid policies —eased in 1968.

Wilson had intended making a clear restatement in the House of Commons Saturday of the government position against shipping arms. But after a stormy cabinet session Friday it is doubtful he can do more than pledge there will be no immediate change of policy.

LESS THAN FIRM

Wilson's setback at the hands of his own ministers means he now has something less than firm backing for the stand he took in November, 1964, when the arms ban was imposed.

The solid group ranged against him is said to be headed by Foreign Secretary George Brown and to include Home Secretary James Callaghan, Defence Minister Denis Healey, Labor Minister Ray Gunter, and perhaps Roy Jenkins, the new chancellor of the exchequer.

Some political quarters saw this impressive lineup against the prime minister as a potential threat to the government's very existence.

IN FULL GAZE

John Dickenson, political writer of the London Evening News, writes: "Once again the question of the very survival of Mr. Wilson's administration seems in doubt, with ministers and MPs rowing in the full gaze of the whole world."

There has been a suggestion in political circles, Dickenson adds that Wilson might "do a Nasser" by some melodramatic gesture such as quitting the party leadership, then returning a few days later. Such a move would be constitutionally possible without resigning as prime minister.

The row will move this week

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Neighboring Quebec Homes

Fire Kills Thirteen

LA SARRE, Que. (CP)—Thirteen persons, 10 of them children, perished Saturday in a fire that ripped through two neighboring houses in this community 200 miles northwest of Montreal.

Dead are Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Bouchard and their children Claudette, 12; Albert, 8; Sylvie, 6; Johanne, 5, and Susie, 15 months.

Five children of a neighboring family also died. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jean-guy Aubin, were away at the time and the children were in the care of Jocelyne Paradis, 17, who died in the flames.

TWINS TOO

The dead Aubin children are Guylaine, 8; Marie, 6; Daniel 5, and twins France and Francine.

A provincial police spokesman said the dead all belonged to two families and added: "An oil space heater exploded at about 5:45 a.m. this morning. It took four hours to put out the blaze and the houses are destroyed."

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Despite Best Efforts

Presents Not Guaranteed For All Six-Year-Olds

From the darkened window of a cold, bare house in Victoria, a six-year-old boy watched his neighbors arrive home with six bagfuls of groceries and a car load of mysterious brown parcels.

"They know it's nearly Christmas," he told his mother. "How come we don't know?"

His mother had to explain that Christmas doesn't bring universal joy, even in this corner of a wealthy continent.

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His father was recently released from the provincial mental hospital, but in spite of the mental breakdown and a disability caused by a partial stroke, he isn't eligible for disabled persons allowance.

His mother, too, is unable to work, and as if the fates hadn't struck enough blows to the family of five, one of the boy's sisters is handicapped by an eye condition which limits the amount of time she can spend studying.

The family must sustain itself on $200 a month — only $10 each a week.

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There will be no money over for showing the boy that Christmas still exists.

The needs of this family, and of a thousand more, are known to the Christmas Bureau of the Community Welfare Council, which stands ready to pass along any help it can.

The Colonist 500 Fund will look after half of these unhappy families, sharing among them all donations which reach the office by next Thursday.

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So far there is $21 each to send to these people, to spend in any way that will show the boy, and others like him, that Christmas comes once a year to everyone.

Donations can be mailed or brought into the Colonist office, 2631 Douglas Street, or to Avis-Rent-A-Car, 800 Douglas.

Canadian GM Threatened

WINDSOR, Ont. (CP) — The United Auto Workers Union international executive board may set a Canadian strike deadline against General Motors at a Detroit meeting today, a union negotiator said.

George Burt, Canadian regional director for the UAW, said he will discuss a strike recommendation with the board when it reviews a proposed master working agreement covering about 380,000 General Motors employees in the United States.

He said Canadian negotiators will talk without a strike in mind, but added that if they cannot reach a favorable settlement, "we will set a strike date and be prepared to use it."

Foils Revolt

Firmly back in command of Algeria is President Houari Boumedienne, who Saturday accepted surrender of dissident force leader Col. Tahar Zibri, army chief of staff. Outside communication with rest of world has been restored and reports say that 24 persons had been arrested.

Fluff and Feathers Celebrate Christmas

Even bloodhound with white coat can appreciate his very first Christmas. White Banners, left, was born just 12 weeks ago, and he's ready to help with seasonal decorating. White Banners is Samoyed from Peg and Bud Bishop's Totem Kennels at Sproat Lake. He would make pretty lovely gift himself, but proud owners say he is not for sale.—(Mary Taylor)

The camera caught red-bellied sapsucker at work above, on an apple tree near Quamicham Lake, on outskirts of Duncan. The tree is covered in small holes, made by the furious pecking of bird, which returns following day to enjoy sap seeping out of holes, and any luckless insects which happened to get caught. This particular bird is a male, identifiable by bright red breast and head.—(Agnes Flett)

Cowichan Valley Boosts Cheer

Santa Receives Aid From Hamper Group

DUNCAN — A group of dedicated men and women began to pack hampers to bring Christmas cheer to the needy in the Cowichan Valley.

Cowichan Christmas Cheer Fund committee chairman Harold Allman said last year a total of 183 hampers were taken by volunteers to homes in the Cowichan Valley, and an additional number of small parcels were presented to people in rest homes and Duncan's Chinatown.

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Mr. Allman said "Although the Cheer Fund committee work is supposedly assisted by service clubs and fraternal organizations, only the Duncan Kiwanis and the Duncan Gyro Club have shown any interest in the work so far this year."

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Members of St. John's Anglican Church bagged one and a half tons of potatoes which will be part of the hampers.

Other articles to go in each hamper will be a voucher for a turkey, vegetables, sugar, tea, coffee, soup, candies and one toy for each child.

Purchasing agent for the Cheer Fund committee, Bill Burak, said "As in the past all groceries and supplies have to be bought in faith that the more fortunate people will donate money to the good cause, which will bring smiles and happiness to the less fortunate ones of our community."

Mr. Allman said last year a total of $3,000 was spent and, "We expect about the same this year."

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The delivery of the hampers will be made by members of the Duncan Gyro Club, Dec. 17.

Mr. Allman said "I appeal to the public to remember the Christmas Cheer Fund.

"We shall accept donations until long after Christmas and that money will be used for next year."

Surplus funds last year enabled the committee to buy a large box of new toys for half price.

Meanwhile in Nanaimo, persons wanting to see Santa's workshop don't have to travel to the north pole, but simply arrange a visit to the Brennan Lake boys school.

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The boys, who have been placed in the school for reasons ranging from theft and other criminal convictions, to being in need of a better place to live than their broken homes, have taken on the job of toy makers.

They also repair and repaint toys so children who might receive nothing from Santa, might awake to a much brighter Christmas than usual.

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For the past three weeks, the boys have been working hard in their spare time.

Trikes and bikes, dolls and carriages, toys of all shapes and for all ages are carefully repaired.

When repairs are completed, the paint goes on, but somehow the paint seems to glow with a sheen not to be found in mere store-bought items.

"We used to send out 400 hampers, but now we send almost 700," he said.

Perhaps the wish of each of the boys for some unknown child to have a better Christmas lends to the glow.

Walt Shogan, assistant superintendant said, "The boys follow this right through."

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"From the time toys are collected by PTA groups and Shell Service stations, to the time they are delivered into homes with food hampers, the boys are represented by some of their numbers."

This year, he said, the toys have sunk in quality and numbers; a trend he feels is carried by the use of plastics, which in most cases impossible to repair.

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At the beginning of the week preparations for food hampers began.

Money collected by service clubs, led by collections from the Salvation Army, was spent on foodstuffs.

An empty area in Northbrook shopping plaza was set aside to arrange the food in a manner similar to a supermarket.

Using information obtained from the Welfare Department, hampers of all sizes will be filled and, with toys chosen specifically for each child.

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In some cases, where there is a number of children, a family toy will be sent, a bike or wagon that all may enjoy.

"We hope some of the boys will be able to deliver them too," said Mr. Shogan.

"If everybody who walks past one of the Salvation Army kettles would drop some money in it, it would help tremendously.

"Or they could send donations to Major Bill Kelly," he said.

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Bill Burak and Harold Allman, right, pack toys

Six Appear in Court After Drug Raids

Six men appeared in central magistrate's court Saturday facing drug charges after police raids on eight houses Friday night in the Greater Victoria area.

The raids, made by RCMP, Victoria, Saanich and Esquimalt officers, were simultaneous with searches in other Vancouver Island centres.

No arrests were made in the Island raids but there will be charges laid, Inspector Frank Law of the Victoria RCMP detachment said Saturday.

The Victoria forays resulted in 12 arrests — including five juveniles — with a 13th man appearing voluntarily in court.

Charged before Magistrate J. A. Byers were:

Peter Axehorn, 67 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana at or near Menzies on Nov. 12.

Roy Stewart, also of 67 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana at or near Menzies on Nov. 17.

Michael McGovern, 203 Menzies, charged with trafficking in marijuana Dec. 14.

Edward Sukas, 809 Penwell, charged with having marijuana in his possession, Dec. 15.

Phillip Isaacson, 1032 McGregor, charged with having marijuana in his possession Dec. 15.

Richard Shepherd, no address available, charged with trafficking a controlled drug, methedrine, between Nov. 20 and 21.

All were remanded to Monday for plea. Sherpherd was not arrested because he had been ill, prosecutor Rodney Taylor said.

The three charged with trafficking in marijuana were released on $2,500 bail each, Sukas and Isaacson on $1,000 bail each and Shepherd on $500 bail.

Two other men were arrested on charges of contributing to juvenile delinquency and were released Saturday morning.

IN CHAMBERS

One of the juveniles was charged with trafficking in methedrine. The other four were charged with possession of marijuana. The five — two girls and three boys — appeared before Magistrate Byers in chambers and were remanded to Monday.

Insp. Law said Friday's raids were one phase of a continuing investigation into the use of drugs on the Island. He described Victoria as the main centre of drug activity on Vancouver Island.

Robert Price appeared for five of the accused, and clashed briefly with Mr. Taylor.

STRANGER?

When the charge against Axehorn was read, Magistrate Byers asked: "Is he a stranger?"

Mr. Taylor muttered: "He looks a little strange."

Mr. Price immediately objected to the remark but Magistrate Byers apparently did not hear it.

In Nanaimo, a spokesman for the RCMP's general investigating section said no arrests were comtemplated during the weekend.

VICTORIA ORDERS

He explained that all orders were coming from Victoria, and police in northern Island areas in turn followed up the details with arrests.

The officer said any people charged on drug counts in the latest sweep would appear in court in the areas of their arrest.

Pitlamp Raid Costly

GANGES — Two Richmond men have been fined a total of $1,350 in Magistrate's Court for pitlamping.

Before Magistrate M. F. Peller, Herbert Higo and Samuel Alexander pleaded guilty to hunting at night with lights near Galiano Golf Club on Galiano Island.

RCMP from Ganges were called to arrest the two.

Prosecutor Corporal F. C. Rhodes said the men shot a doe.

Alexander had been previously convicted of assault and and contributing to juvenile delinquency.

Higo had been previously charged with having an untagged deer, plus several motor vehicle offences.

Higo was fined $600 or 90 days imprisonment, Alexander was sentenced to 90 days, which the magistrate later reduced to a fine of $750 when he heard the defendant had six children and he had only been released from jail in October.

Both men asked for time to pay which was refused, and the men were taken into custody until the fines were paid.

Population of 10,000

New District Okayed, West Nanaimo Formed

NANAIMO — West Nanaimo improvement district will be formed. This was the resolution of a meeting Saturday between Wellington fire protection and Wellington water works districts; and Northfield and Harewood improvement districts.

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Trustees of the districts met with Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs J. E. Brown in a cumulative effort that has spanned many years.

The new district will, according to the resolution passed unanimously, "assume all assets and liabilities of the former four districts, and:

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"Undertake the following function: fire protection, water, distribution, sewage collection, garbage collection, street lighting, storm drains and parks and recreation.

"Until altered or amended, and in any case not earlier than 1973, the functions of fire protection, garbage collection, street lighting, parks and recreation and general administration will be charged on a common mill rate or common toll over the whole of the improvement district.

"Water distribution and sewage collection will be charged on existing rates for operation and debt repayment in accordance with the existing areas.

The board will total 15, with five representatives from each area, until 1970.

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A vote, May 25, 1968, over the whole of the three areas will be held to enable the new improvement district representatives to petition for West Nanaimo to become a municipality.

A. Rod Glen said, "This covers a population of 10,000.

"Mountain district, the area along Jinglepot Road, may come in later."

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He said that district had indicated it would like to become part of the larger improvement district, during earlier negotiations, and that the new board will probably meet with their representatives with this in mind.

He said the representatives all were elated over the possibilities.

Heat Kills

LADYSMITH—Last summer's intense heat killed 60 per cent of the seddlings in a Crown Zellerbach plantation near here.

The company planted 303,700 seedlings. Barry Gibson, the company's assistant forester, said the high mortality rate was the result of the hottest and driest season in the woods in 16 years.

Poisons, Meat Don't Mix

NANAIMO — Transport companies should not be permitted to freight poisonous materials in the same shipments as foodstuffs, the Central Vancouver Island Union Board of Health says.

The board has urged regulations to outlaw such action, after learning of an incident in which meat was contaminated by an insecticide being shipped on the same truck.

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The incident was reported by Dr. G. A. Gibson, director of the Upper Island health unit. He said the insecticide spilled over the meat when the truck was involved in a minor accident. He said the contamination was discovered before the meat reached its destination.

Motorist Injured

DUNCAN — Marvin Huston, 22, is in fair condition in Victoria's St. Joseph's Hospital with head injuries received when the car in which he was travelling crashed on the Malahat Saturday morning.

The driver, Murray Bennett, 24, also of Duncan, was treated and allowed to leave.

The Victoria-bound car skidded off the icy road at Tunnel Hill Curve, smashed into a rock and hit a car coming in the opposite direction.

Revolver Shot Killed Young Chemainus Cadet

CHEMAINUS — Rainer Norbert Noack, 15, who died Thursday night when a gun accidently discharged, will be buried Tuesday at Chemainus.

The boy, who died from a .22 revolver wound, was found in the bathroom.

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He was a member of the Admiral Mainguy sea cadet corps.

His father, Kurt, is an electrician at MacMillan Bloedel's sawmill at Chemainus, and his mother is secretary of the Cowichan branch of the Navy League of Canada.

Born at Gelsenkirchen, Germany, he came to Canada 11 years ago, first to Nova Scotia and later to Quebec.

In 1958 he moved to North Vancouver, and for the past three years had lived at Chemainus. He was a student at Chemainus Elementary and Secondary schools.

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Besides his parents, he is survived by two sisters, Claudia and Jeannette, and his grandparents in Germany.

Services will be held at St. Michael and All Angels Church, Chemainus, at 2 p.m.

Pointed Gun

CHEMAINUS — A fine of $50 was imposed on Peter Beveley, about 23, of Crofton, Saturday for pointing a firearm at some boys on Oct. 12.

He was placed on a two-year, $2,000 peace bond.

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Less Debt

Group Cuts Fees

CAMPBELL RIVER — The Chamber of Commerce has come out with a new membership fee rate structure at its latest meeting.

The dinner meeting, held at Daicovery Inn, had Ald. Harry Harris of Courtenay as guest speaker.

UP TO $200

The new membership fees are considerably lower, starting at $10 through to $200 for firms employing more than 500 people.

Most small businesses enter the $20 bracket. The fees do not differentiate between businesses only in the size.

Guest speaker Harry Harris told how the School Dsitriict 71 Electors' Association, which he heads, had effectively opposed the regional college because it felt there was no guarantee for the establishment of a branch campus in the Courtenay-Campbell River area.

INDEFINITE

He said such a campus was recommended in the Marsh Report but the wording of the plebiscite was indefinite.

He said that the Electors' Association is attempting to have a new plebiscite held in the Courtenay area with this assurance.

If this can be achieved, he feels Courtenay voters will approve the regional college concept.

EQUAL TIME

Bruce Saunders, chairman of the school board in Campbell River, asked that the president of the Chamber of Commerce grant him or some member of the board of school trustees equal time on another date to give their point of view in this discussion.

A report of the financial committee indicated that the Chamber's debt has now been reduced to $78.

Sydney Raked By Tornado

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — A tornado that swept through the rich suburbs of Mosman and The Spit damaged more than 100 houses in what was described as "90 seconds of hell." Twelve people were treated by doctors for injuries.

This One's Not for Christmas Decor

Crown Zellerbach's divisional boss at Courtenay, Mike Poje, measures a four-year growth of graft taken from superior tree. Twig was grafted on root stock of six-year-old tree in the division's forest genetics research area. The company was one of the first on the Island to seed areas of up to 1,000 acres with the use of helicopters. In November 1967, some of the most productive land on the Island, on the northwest slope of Mount De Cosmos near Nanaimo Lakes, was seeded by copter.

World Pea Shoot At Nanaimo Soon

NANAIMO — Could Nanaimo be the home of the world champion pea shooter?

That's what the Serauxmen Service Club of Nanaimo, in cooperation with mayor-elect Frank Ney, is about to ascertain.

Serauxmen president Bob Plecas says his club was to hold a world championship pea-shooting contest in Nanaimo Feb. 10 and the first Saturday before St. Valentine's day, next year.

"The championship," said Mr. Plecas, "will be determined on the basis of the greatest pea-shooting knowledge, dexterity and marksmanship."

Mr. Plecas said invitations have been sent to youngsters throughout the world to participate in the championships.

Entrants are to fall into two classes: Age groups six to eight, and nine to 12.

Swedish Death

DUNCAN — A resident of Duncan for the past 15 years, Mrs. Selma Viktoria Erickson, has died in Chemainus General Hospital, aged 76.

Born in Sweden, she came to Canada 35 years ago and resided at Youbou, where her husband, the late Eric Hjalmar Erickson was a well-known farmer.

Services will be held at Calvary Baptist Church, Chemainus, on Monday at 1 p.m.

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In the Matter of the Estate of ARTHUR JOHN COLLETT, deceased, late of 3690 Richmond Road, Victoria, British Columbia.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Arthur John Collett deceased, late of 3690 Richmond Road, Victoria, B.C., are hereby required to send them to the undersigned executor, at P.O. Box 340, Victoria, B.C., before the 19th of January, 1968, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then has notice.
DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 14th day of December, 1967.
HUGH LARRATT HENDERSON,
Executor.
By his Solicitors,
Harman & Company,
Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE
PRIVATE BILLS

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to Standing Orders, no Petition for any Private Bill shall be received by the House in its forthcoming Session after Monday, the 5th day of February, 1968.
Dated November 20, 1967.
E. K. DeBECK,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly,
British Columbia.

To: James P. Rae and Clara E. Rae, formerly of 462 Admirals Road, Victoria, British Columbia.

TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you in the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, 1967, No. A 649-1967 by Associated Investors of Canada Ltd. in which th plaintiff's claim is for:

(a) An accounting of mortgage registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office under number 318063-G as assigned by instrument number 318064-G and covering ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Municipality of Esquimalt in the Province of British Columbia and more particularly known and described as Parcel "A" (D.D. 362149-I) of Lot One Hundred and Forty-five (145), Suburban Lot Forty-three (43), Esquimalt District, Plan 2854.

(b) Payment of the amount found due on the account as mentioned in subparagraph (a).

(c) Cancellation of mortgage registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office as number 311208-G.

(d) Judgments against you, the said Defendants.

(e) Possession of the said mortgaged lands and premises.

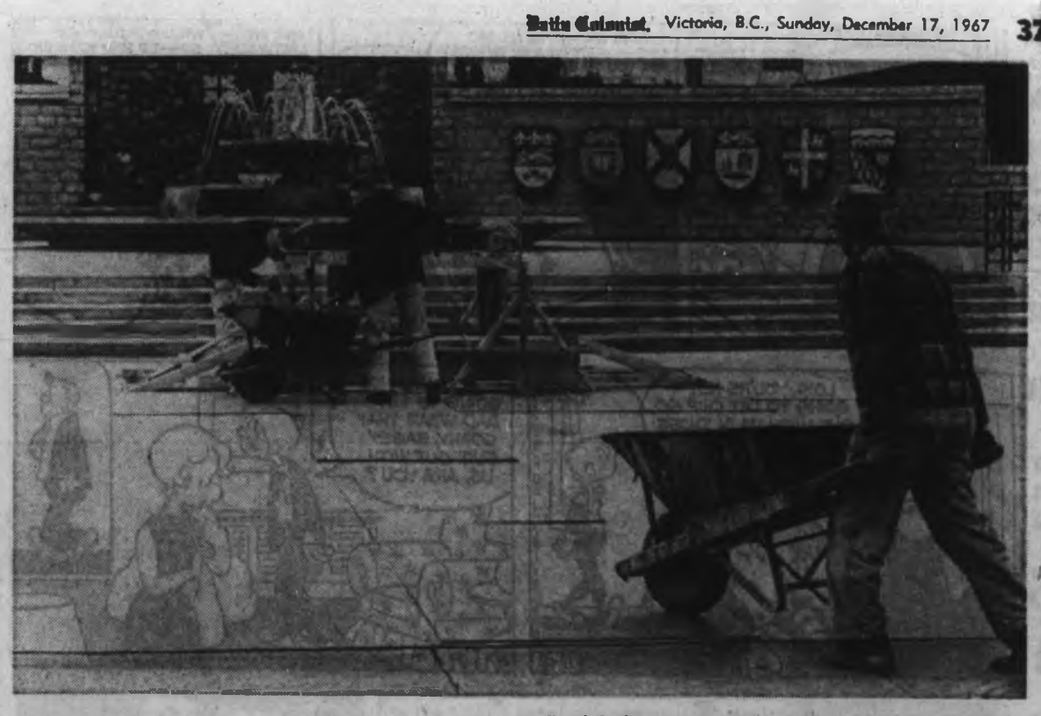
(f) Appointment of a Receiver.

(g) Lis Pendens.

(h) Costs

(i) For all accounts, directions and the purpose aforesaid and for such further and other relief as the Honourable The Supreme Court may seem just.

AND THAT it has been ordered that service of the Writ of Summons and the Statement of Claims in the said action on you be effected by this advertisement. If you desire to defend the said action, you must within twenty-one (21) days from the publication of this advertisement, inclusive of the day of such publication, enter an appearance at The Supreme Court Registry, Victoria, British Columbia. In default of such appearance, judgment may be entered against you.
HALLATT, STEWART & COMPANY,
Barristers and Solicitors,
570 Bentall Building,
1070 Douglas Street,
Victoria, British Columbia,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
Dated the 30th day of November, A.D. 1967.



Burial place for British Columbia's Centennial time capsule was being prepared Friday by provincial public works crews at Confederation Fountain. Inside sealed tube that will be buried New Year's Eve—not to be opened until 2067—are mementos of province's twin Centennial parties.—(Jim Ryan)

Burial Place Readied For New Year's Eve

Rare Dog Missing

HARROWSMITH, Ont. (CP) — A search has started in this community 15 miles north of Kingston for the only known breeding male in Canada of the original aboriginal Newfoundland dog. It strayed away Thursday. In the 19th century, the Newfoundland animals were crossed with European dogs to produce the well-known Newfoundland and Labrador dogs of today.

Troubled Private Hospitals:

We Won't Evict Any Residents

Private hospital operators were unanimous Friday in their contention that they could not long maintain welfare patients at the provincial rate of $230 a month—but no one was going to be turned out on the street, they said.

Meanwhile, Mayor Hugh Stephen dispatched a letter to provincial Welfare Minister Dan Campbell, asking for a meeting soon to discuss the whole problem.

The issue arose Thursday at a meeting of city council, when two large private hospitals wrote to say that they were unable to accommodate welfare patients further at the provincial rate.

One asked a minimum of $255 a month and suggested that if the city was unable to meet this rate it should remove patients within six days.

The other hospital asked $275 a month, and suggested that otherwise the city should "make other arrangements" for patients by Jan. 1.

The issue was treated as an emergency by members of city council, who were told by Ald. Lily Wilson, welfare committee chairman, that 66 subsidized patients in the two hospitals were affected. It was decided to seek an immediate interview with the minister in order to resolve what Ald. Wilson called "an impossible situation."

The provincial government is determined to prevent eviction of any welfare cases from private hospitals, Welfare Minister Campbell said Friday.

He said his department would resort to court action, if necessary, and added that other action might be taken as well against the offending hospitals which operate under provincial licence.

On Friday morning, following a discussion with Mayor Hugh Stephen in his office, Ald. Wilson said resolution of the immediate problem of the 66 patients would, unfortunately, only be a stopgap measure.

Welfare administrator F. Alex Davidson said Friday that there were 200 subsidized patients spread over eight Victoria hospitals.

In some cases, he said, welfare patients constituted 40 per cent to half the hospital patient roster, so that the rate paid by the government could be a serious economic matter for them.

Mr. Davidson said no one was going to be out on the street, but he, like Ald. Wilson, felt that resolution of the immediate problem was only partial relief. The long-range difficulty still remained.

Non-Resident Rule

Board Studies Schoolgirl's Expulsion

By MARK DICKINSON

An 18-year-old girl's efforts to remain in school here, although her parents live on the mainland, will be considered by the Greater Victoria School Board Monday.

Board chairman Peter Bunn said Friday night the board would study the case of Sharron Ebert, a Grade 11 student at Oak Bay high school, who is living in Victoria with her grandparents—not her parents.

Provincial regulations demand students attend school only in the district where their parents live.

If for some reason they must attend a school in another district—and are accepted—they must pay a tuition fee.

But Sharron and some friends are calling for "an exception to the rule" because the girl has already completed one term at Oak Bay high, has no apparent means of paying a $240 tuition fee, and is unable to live with her parents.

Father Jobless, Mother Ill

She has been living since September with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ebert, 2377 Zela.

Her parents live at Pitt Meadows, near Vancouver.

"My father is unemployed and my mother is very ill. They just cannot afford to keep me at home while I go to school," Sharron explained Friday.

"So I've been living with my grandparents, who are pensioners and taxpayers in Oak Bay."

Sharron did not know about the government regulations until her principal, John G. Wallace, notified her two weeks ago that she would have to leave school before Christmas.

She said Mr. Wallace (who was not available for comment) had made the move on behalf of the school board.

School Board Asked

The school board later told her she would have to pay a $240 fee, and to raise the amount she should go to the welfare department.

"The welfare said I didn't qualify," she said.

As a result, Sharron's grandparents and several others have asked the school board to allow her to continue studying at the school until June.

Mr. Bunn said he asked officials Thursday to study the case and present a report to the board Monday night.

He said, "We turn away students who even pay this fee because we just don't have the accommodation." He said his sympathy was with Sharron.

"It's kind of a stacked case against me," Sharron commented.

Farm Helps Fund

Victorians have been invited to shed a drop of blood today to help the city's needy families have a good Christmas.

A Brentwood holly orchard will be open to allow people to pick their own holly for Christmas decorations, in return for a donation to the Daily Colonist 500 fund.

A grower at 940 Clark Road said Friday that trees in his orchard are being topped and thinned.

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"This means that there will be heavily berried holly at ground level which is often unsuitable for commercial shipping as it bruises easily."

He suggested a donation of 20 cents a pound for the holly, and said that someone would be available to show people where to cut.

British Columbia Hyydro and Power Authority
Invites Tenders for the Following

Description	Reference	Closing Date
Rental of 1 to 6 rubber tired tractor combination backhoe front-end loaders on an all found including operator basis, for one-year period for the Metropolitan Gas Distribution Department.	BQ. 5924	2 January 1968
Outdoor Disconnecting Switches for Various Substations.	CQ. 8577	16 January 1968

Sealed tenders clearly marked as above-referenced will be received in Room 638 (for CQ's) in Room 650 (for BQ's), B.C. Hydro and Power Authority Building, 970 Burrard Street, Vancouver 1, B.C., until 12:00 Noon, closing dates as above.

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Sets of new "Jack Nicklaus" woods, "Parker-Hale" rifle and scops (Cost $100). Girls' nearly new Bicycles. Electric panel Heaters, Fishing Equipment, Toys. 14-kt. Gold Flask. Silver Liquor Cups in Case.

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Early morning at a Sooke beach. –*Alice Kimoff photo.*

Elizabeth Collard's handsome and scholarly new Nineteenth Century Pottery and Porcelain in Canada has sent me scurrying into the background of British Columbia pottery. I was surprised to learn that at one time Victoria had quite a commercial pottery business.

Pottery Industry Flourished In Early Victoria

By JAMES K. NESBITT

Today Victoria, and other parts of British Columbia have a flourishing business in handicraft pottery which ranks with the best of modern pottery anywhere in the world. In Victoria, especially, many people are engaged in ornamental pottery work, and some beautiful specimens are turned out, and sent as gifts to many distant places.

Mrs. Collard, wife of a Montreal newspaper editor, did some research for her book in Victoria. Not only does the book deal in porcelain and pottery, but also in historical background of many parts of Canada. Thus it is a doubly-valuable book, published by McGill University Press. It's an expensive book — $22.50 — but it is elegant and informative, and beautifully turned out.

Mrs. Collard explains her book, the result of 20 years of gathering porcelain and pottery: "What I have tried to do is write more than a book for china collectors. I have tried to set the china against our own Canadian background. China is never something isolated; it is a part of the times and conditions that produced it. And only when viewed from this perspective can it be really understood.

"In Canada, china has a truly romantic background. To me, there has always been a romance to commerce. China-selling in Canada was a robust business and its success a triumph over natural hazards.

"The story of our own pottery-making — and it can only be understood when set against the tide of imports — is one of struggle and quite amazing achievement, when all the odds are taken into consideration."

One of the illustrations in the Collard book is a Minton tile, from the old John Weller home, which stood at the southwest corner of Blanshard and Broughton, and which was given to Mrs. Collard by the late Mrs. Kenneth C. Drury of Victoria.

"Around the Horn and on by mule," is the title of Mrs. Collard's chapter on pottery and porcelain in British Columbia in the early days.

Mrs. Collard writes: "—when gold suddenly brought thousands scrambling to the west coast, at the end of the 1850s, the country began to develop so rapidly that within only a half-dozen years scores of private merchants in Victoria and New Westminster were selling the ironstone and the printed earthenware popular in all the colonial markets.

"In addition to mentioning crockery in long lists of goods handled in the new business establishments leaping into existence, some dealers were even beginning to take special newspaper advertisements to feature shipments of it.

"An example is found in an early issue of The British Columbian, first newspaper published on the mainland: 'Alfred Fellows has just received, per "Retriever" a large and extensive assortment of crockery and glassware of every description, which will be sold cheap for cash, Victoria, V.I., Oct. 24, 1861'."

My own research into pottery shows that in 1889, in Victoria, a new commercial establishment for its manufacture caused quite a stir.

"Another important industry flourishing in this city," said The Colonist and went on: "Very few residents of Victoria, even old residents, are aware that the stiff, sticky clay which clings so affectionately to the boots in rainy weather, and which is to be found in undesirable quantity for the pedestrian in every part of the city, is equal to any that can be found in the world over for pottery manufacture."

After this flowery introduction, which I find one of the charms of that age, The Colonist got around to some details: "Its utility may have been realized, but was never taken advantage of, until Messrs. Keller and Burris, both practical and far-seeing men, determined to press it into service and accordingly erected substantial buildings provided with all modern machinery on the line of the E. and N. Railway, between Esquimalt and Russell's station.

"At present the principal articles manufactured are drain tiles, sewer pipes, flower pots, and domestic utensils in the shape of milk crocks, jars, etc.

"The process is the result of modern invention, machinery performing almost all the work with an exactness that could not be obtained by hand labor.

"The clay is taken from a 30-foot pit, the walls of which show three strata, white, yellow, and blue, and is carried up by a belt elevator and fed to a machine known as "Pott's disintegrator' which grinds it thoroughly, pulverizing the clay and throwing out all hard and foreign matter.

"Fifteen men in all are employed, white labor only being taken (showing the fierce racial bias of that era) and as business is growing rapidly this number of hands will of necessity be increased in the near future.

"The Victoria clay takes a fine glaze, while the quality of pottery made of it is unsurpassed.

"It is proposed to extend the lines of this business as rapidly as possible, to embrace the manufacture of brown and yellow stone ware, and fancy floor tiles equal to any of the Belgium make."

(I am wondering if there is still in existence in Victoria any of the work from the Keller and Burris pottery. It would make an interesting, and quite valuable collector's item.)

The new 1889 pottery gave great encouragement to Victorians, who said that at long last this would become a place of great commercial enterprise; it was proof, said they, that that new upstart, brassy town of Vancouver would never edge out Victoria when it came to industry.

The Colonist ran an editorial of hope and good cheer: "It is the fashion in certain places (probably Vancouver) to speak of Victoria as a slow city. Its inhabitants are represented by unfriendly and jealous neighbors as moss-backs, with no enterprise, who hate exertion, who are opposed to all improvements and who are content to live a quiet, monotonous life beside the sparkling waters of the Straits of Fuca.

"What we now must do is emphatically and persistently contradict the false and stupid reports that are spread about Victoria and Victorians, and to prove by facts and figures.

"It must be remembered that Victoria is a very young city. Yet — it has long had a fine system of waterworks — it was for sometime lighted fairly well with gas; it is now lighted by electricity.

"It can boast of an excellent telephone service. The rails for an electric tramway have been laid on our streets, and the cars will, in a very short time, be running from one end of it to the other.

"Poverty — unavoidable poverty — is unknown in Victoria. There is in this city of mossbacks and lotus-eaters more people with money in their pockets in proportion to the population than in any other city in the Dominion.

"It has more men of independent means, according to its numbers, than any other Canadian city.

"Its business is in healthy condition. Failures are very scarce in Victoria. Improvements are going on everywhere. There are cities in Canada, which were old when land on which Victoria stands was a wilderness, which cannot boast of half its improvements, or a tithe of its wealth.

"And the indications are that Victoria is only yet in its infancy. Its capabilities are very great and its advantages many and the pluck, the intelligences, the enterprise and energy which have made Victoria so far what it is, will not fail in the future to turn every favorable circumstance to its advantage."

Thus spurred on, Keller and Burris' pottery flourished, until one cold night, between Christmas and New Year of 1889, a fire destroyed for a time all the hustle and bustle. This fire had a most gruesome and startling side light, which put all Victoria into a spin, naturally.

"Keller and Burris' pottery work just outside the city limits," said The Colonist, "were completely destroyed by fire, together with a large quantity of stock and new and expensive machinery."

Now for the gory details: "Mr. Burris was sleeping in a little cottage not far distant from the works when he was awakened by the barking of his dog, and the crackling of the flames only a few feet away.

"Knowing that Jacob Haberkorn, a German potter employed in the works was sleeping in the engine room, Mr. Burris first thought for him. He tried to reach that part of the building, but was prevented from getting too close by the intense heat.

"Not finding the missing man, nor hearing him call out, the conclusion was reached that he had been burned to death."

However, in due course, one of the men fighting the fire 'stumbled' over what "he at first took to be a log, but which proved to be the body of the unfortunate German. He was lying on his side, with his throat disfigured by a rugged gash, through which the blood was still flowing.

"Finding no sign of life, and supposing him dead, the men carried the body out of reach of the fire and covered it with a blanket, and a few boards to keep it from the rain and falling cinders.

"The fire growing hotter, the body was moved again, but yet the man gave no sign of life; nor did he until the flames had completed their work and the pottery was in ashes.

"Then he sighed, and one of the men who was watching him noticed the evidence of returning animation, and he was carried into the nearest cabin.

"Dr. Milne was sent for, and put three stitches in the wound.

"The injured man then rallied, and was able to give his version of the disaster. He said he was going to bed when his lamp exploded, setting fire to the floor and the contents of the room. It was impossible for him to extinguish the flames, as the oil seemed to have saturated everything while he himself was burning."

I must say I did a double-take, when I read the next paragraph: "Thinking he would be blamed for the fire and fearing he hardly knew what, he seized a razor and cut his throat; then jumped through the

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BOB SWANSON AND HIS WHISTLE MACHINE.

Building a Better Whistle

A pair of hikers who got lost recently found themselves in a tree farm region near the Nanaimo Lakes. It was dark, the trees were close together and travel was difficult. Then—the cheerful sound of a locomotive. Civilization could not be far off: they reasoned. After all, where there are trains, there are tracks, and tracks lead to people, don't they?

By ED GOULD

After a bit of wild scrambling, the two young men soon located the source of the locomotive whistle. But there was no locomotive, no tracks, and . . . no people! Just a weird machine with a pair of locomotive headlights and a collection of large horns.

The "locomotive" continued to blast at regular intervals, some short and quick, others long and drawn out. Then—and this was enough to send the two hikers back into the woods again—the first four bars of O Canada!

The mystery was solved a short while later with the arrival of a tall, heavy-set man who ambled out of the bush, a tape recorder in each hand.

Bob Swanson had been up in the hills surrounding the whistle machine with a remote control mechanism and the tape recorders testing the latest of his 22 whistle designs.

Over a bowl of hot soup, Swanson explained his patents cover a multitude of foghorn, car ferry, diesel locomotive and factory whistles in five countries. On weekends, when he can get away from his job as chief engineer for the provincial department of commercial transport, Mr. Swanson retreats to the "whistle farm" where he can whistle while he works without anyone complaining about the noise.

Here he fires up the boiler of a steam-driven donkey engine, relic of the early Vancouver Island logging industry, and amid the horns, whistles and escaping steam, tests his inventions.

He first became enthalled with whistles when he worked around the railroad yards at Nanaimo as a boy.

"I used to try to improve the sound of the old steam whistles by cutting them down or lengthening them," he said. "The engineers on the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railroad got so attached to their whistles they used to take them home with them. Each whistle had its own distinctive sound."

Air horns replaced steam whistles when railroads began to change to diesel power in the later forties. The air horns were a shock, "like wild geese flying home," Swanson said.

Farmers across Canada complained the new whistles scared their cattle and cut milk production; steam whistle buffs claimed they were unmusical; housewives said they grated on their nerves; and at least one driver told a judicial hearing in Victoria that he collided with a diesel locomotive because he couldn't tell from the sound that it was a train approaching.

When Mr. Swanson told Ottawa officials that he could build a better whistle, they told him to go ahead and try. He had two major problems: Musical and financial.

"The whole scale of music is mathematical," Swanson recalls. "And I needed more musical training so I could analyze the steam whistle sound and put it down—algabraicly—on paper. It was no use trying to guess what was a major chord. You've got to know scale and theory."

He bore down on the piano and musical theory he had been studying for four years. Meanwhile, he applied for funds from the National Research Council in Ottawa but they told him: "A steam whistle is built on the flute principle, the air horn on the trumpet principle. No matter what you do, you can't make a trumpet sound like a flute."

Swanson replied: "If a Hammond chord organ, which hasn't any pipes, can be made to sound like a pipe organ, there must be some way to make an air horn, without any steam, sound like a steam whistle."

Unconvinced, the Council turned down his request for funds, so Mr. Swanson decided to finance his own research.

He returned to B.C., bought a wire recorder (before the time of the tape machine so popular today) and travelled around in his car recording train whistles at various distances.

He analyzed the steam whistle sound as C sharp diminished chord, in six notes. By using the principle of the fourth root of two, for pitch, and the 24th root of two, for loudness, he achieved a mathematical formula for simulation of the sound. The practical result was one large horn surrounded by five smaller ones.

The British Columbia Electric (forerunner to the B.C. Hydro and Power Authority) tested his invention at its rail yards in Vancouver in 1948.

"That's it!" an official exclaimed. "That's the sound of a steam whistle." The BCE adopted the whistle and the CPR, CNR and Pacific Great Eastern followed later.

American inventors, working toward the same ends, scoffed at the news that Swanson had made a sound breakthrough. "So . . . I soon found myself striding down Park Avenue in New York with two giant air horns under my arms," Mr. Swanson recalls.

The New York firm of Nathan Manufacturing Company optioned the design and Swanson set up a B.C. firm.

In 1949, at Alexandria, Virginia, near Washington, Capt. Charles Benter of the United States Marine Band was engaged by Southern Railroad to judge various air whistle devices for "their musical sound."

Mr. Benter travelled up and down a test track on a railroad speeder, stopping at different distances to listen through telephone earphones to whistles submitted by various firms. When he heard Mr. Swanson's entry, he suggested one small change, listened again and told the assembled representatives of most American railroads: "That old style airhorn is NOISE. THIS, gentlemen, (indicating Mr. Swanson's whistle) is MUSIC!" Many American roads as well as Southern switched to the Swanson-designed whistle.

The Department of Transport in Ottawa eventually heard of Mr. Swanson's way with a horn and asked him to see if he could design a replacement for its costly diaphonic foghorn.

That variety foghorn requires 35 to 40 horsepower to compress the air necessary to blow it—and at least one man to maintain it. Building a fog "station" costs up to $50,000.

Mr. Swanson knew an air pressure fog horn could be blown with about 35 pounds of air generated by a three horsepower engine and requiring no manual supervision. But the familiar "grunt"—which characterizes the land-based

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MRS. INEZ O'REILLY lives in the past at Point Ellice House.

STEPPING BACK INTO HISTORY

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DOUG HAY

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FINE CRYSTAL GLASS is shown by Mrs. O'Reilly to visitor Mrs. Mary Graham. Sideboard contains valuable silver service set.

KITCHEN SHELVES are point of interest for visitors Mrs. Mary Graham, left, and Mrs. Amy Bird as Mrs. O'Reilly points out one of china jugs.

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HEATHER GRAHAM, 11, pours pitcher of water into old-fashioned wash-basin in bedroom. Plug in basin allows it to drain off into china receptacle below.

HEAVY FAMILY BIBLE with strong clasps sits on table with attached candle for reading. Below it are collection of prayer books.

John and Inez O'Reilly live in the past and because they do the history of Victoria has been considerably enriched. The O'Reillys have opened as a museum the century-old family home, Point Ellice House, on tree-shaded Pleasant Street, a short stroll from the industrial heart of Bay Street.

On its two acres of grounds overlooking the busy Selkirk waters of the Inner Harbor, the house was built in 1865 by British Columbia's first gold commissioner, Hon. Peter O'Reilly, grandfather of John O'Reilly, who arrived in Victoria from Ireland in the mid 19th century following service with the Irish constabulary.

For 107 years it has been the O'Reilly family home — now it is open to the public daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

With the snip of a red ribbon late last summer, Lieutenant-Governor Pearkes officially opened Point Ellice House, an event watched with interst by a distinguished group of provincial and civic officials.

To enter Point Ellice House is to step back in time to an era when the history of British Columbia was slowly being forged by such men as Sir Joseph Trutch, B.C.'s first lieutenant-governor, and ships of the Royal Navy were a common sight in the harbor.

The long, one-storey home with its 15 rooms was the focal point of many gala occasions, such as the visit to Victoria in 1867 of Canada's first prime minister, Sir John A. Macdonald.

Reported the Colonist 100 years ago: "At Point Ellice hundreds of torches were blazing, making the darkness light, and many lights rose gracefully and picturesquely into the air. Out of the darkness came the grand water pageant moving along slowly, resembling a mountain flickering with the myriad lights of a host of fireflies."

Such was life in Victoria in the last century and, today, a visit to Point Ellice House can evoke those same memories if one uses imagination.

But had it not been for the ingenuity and persistence of the present Mrs. O'Reilly, this unique old home would have quickly vanished under the wrecker's hammer.

Before her mother-in-law died three years ago, plans had been made to sell the property to a nearby industrial complex.

"They would have run a bulldozer through the house and left the property bare," says Mrs. O'Reilly. "Two years ago, I thought it would be a wonderful idea to restore the house, because it is so much of the history of Victoria. No repairs had been done for ages — the job of restoring it was a tremendous one. The whole house had to be lifted and a cement foundation laid underneath it. The verandah had collapsed, the roof leaked, and we had to have it fumigated to rid the house of powder-post beatles."

But after two years, the job had been completed at a heavy cost, borne privately by the O'Reillys. Unlike other historiacl homes and sites, Point Ellice House was not aided in its restoration by funds from provincial or federal governments.

And although its opening has provided Victoria with an additional tourist attraction — to say nothing of the homes' historical value — the City of Victoria has seen fit to raise the annual taxes on the property.

After the heavy expense and hard work of restoration, Mrs. O'Reilly feels the move as rather a low blow to the pocket-book.

Of the historical value of Point Ellice House, Carolyn Cane, curator of history for the provincial museum, says: "I have never seen as large a collection of Victoriana in Western Canada." She added that it would take a museum nearly 30 years to put together a similar one.

Hundreds of antique furnishings, household utensils, artifacts and bric-a-brac fill every room to overflowing.

A unique point of the old home is that nothing has been bought for the museum. Down to the last dish and book, everything in Point Ellice House has been in use by three generations of O'Reillys.

The beautifully-furnished drawing room contains a wealth of Victoriana — from fans to a gold harp once played by Mrs. O'Reilly in the 19th century; a writing desk used by Sir James Trutch, and a large collection of old books. The fireplace is fashioned of Italian marble, and above it is a flawless and crystal-clear mirror reflecting the elegance of the room.

In the dining room, warmed by an open fireplace, gleaming silverware sits atop a sideboard, while nearby are bottles of vintage wine and champagne, some still in their straw packing. Mrs. O'Reilly believes they are still in near-perfect condition.

On the dining room table sit two gilt candlelabra. "An antique dealer once told me," Mrs. O'Reilly says, "that they were probably owned by Russian nobility."

A fascinating section of the home is the kitchen, with its great French range, and a collection of blackened stew pots of the type sold by the Hudson's Bay Trading Company. The kitchen utensils are all laid out as if the Chinese cook who presided over them a century ago had just stepped out the back door for a breath of fresh air.

The entire house, in fact, gives a visitor the strange feeling that he has stepped back in history via an H. G. Wells time capsule and at any moment the sound of horses' hooves will scatter the gravel of the driveway as a carriage draws up to

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Mrs. Mary Graham and daughter Heather look at OLD IRON ATOP LARGE FRENCH RANGE. Old stewpots on stove were sold by Hudson's Bay Trading Company 100 years ago.

BASTION THEATRE'S

Story of Achievement

By MARGARET S. BELFORD

Four years ago, on a warm June day in 1963, a group of people gathered together in Miss Anne Adamson's home on Clive Drive. These people—75 in number—came from all walks of life—civil servants, teachers, university professors, housewives and businessmen. All of them had one thing in common. They loved the theatre, and they were all eager to sponsor live theatre here in Victoria.

It was at this meeting, gathered together at the instance of Miss Adamson, that Bastion Theatre as we know it today, first came into being. It was the decisions taken then, which have a direct bearing today nearly every time we see the lights go up in McPherson Playhouse. For there is no use denying that our beautifully renovated and rebuilt playhouse would be an empty shell for far too much of the year, were it not for the activities of the up-and-coming Bastion group.

The man behind all this activity was, and still is, of course, Peter Mannering. Someone not too well known in Victoria at that time, though he was a native of Vancouver and had been active in Totem Theatre during its short life here in Victoria. Apart from that, Mr. Mannering received his theatrical training at Pasadena Playhouse, graduate cum laude; 1947.

Since that time, Mr. Mannering has acted and directed for many managements including Vancouver's Theatre Under the Stars, Totem Theatre, Manitoba Theatre Centre, Canadian Players, and Holiday Theatre in Vancouver, as well as acting in many other parts of the world on stage and in films.

So Peter Mannering is primarily an actor and director. But in reality he is much more than that. He is a man who delights in the growth of new theatres.

He is a man who delights not only in the growth of new theatres, but also in creating new outlets for the expression of drama—whether professional or amateur. Above all, he believes in the final creation of a national theatre throughout Canada. Something we can be proud of as a nation. This is the object for which, in his opinion, we should all be working, whether as actors, or as workers behind the scenes. As Peter says: "It is an old cliche, but generally true, that past civilizations are best remembered by their cultural achievements, whether in architecture, painting, music, writing, or the performing arts."

It does not take too big a stretch of the imagination to realize that Peter Mannering believed Victoria had something to offer in the creation of a national theatre way back when he held his first meeting here in 1963. He still thinks the same way today.

What was the feeling of that first meeting? One who attended it looks back and is conscious still of the atmosphere of tremendous interest, a sense of reunion and friendship as old friends met and mingled, and, above all, the feeling of great anticipation and strong confidence in the future.

It was at this meeting that Jim and Phyllis Dulmage recalled the little disused Lutheran Church on the corner of Princess and Chambers, and before the week was out a lease had been signed on the property which was to become the first home of Bastion Theatre.

From that meeting a board of directors was set up, and Peter went back to Barkerville to finish his stint with the Barkerville Company, secure in the knowledge that he had interested and influential people behind him in Victoria.

He had found a home for his new venture, and he had some 29 pupils provisionally signed up for classes to start in the fall of 1963.

By September of that year, those 29 students had grown to a healthy 65. Two plays were in rehearsal, and casting for a third play was completed. To Peter Mannering, as director, had been added Stewart Paul of Dawson Creek as business manager, and Wolfgang Baba as stage manager.

For several months while Bastion Theatre was being set up (or Victoria Theatre Studio, as it then was), these men worked for free, living on their savings.

After some months, since everyone must eat, they received a small salary. So small, in point of fact, that it is doubtful if any other man would have considered it as anything other than a joke. But that is how it is when one believes fervently enough in a thing. These three did believe.

PETER MANNERING . . . believes in Victoria.

It is greatly due to their initial efforts that the thriving company we have today is still with us.

Later, when Wolfgang left the group, Stuart Baker came from Manitoba Theatre Centre to head up the school and direct some of the plays.

Stuart, who had a great deal of experience, not only in stage acting but particularly in radio, TV and film work, also had experience in the art of "tightening the belt." He had need of this art when, as co-founder of Totem Theatre in Vancouver, it was decided to open another Totem Theatre here in Victoria in 1953.

Totem operated for one brief season in the old York-Pantages Theatre, now, of course, the McPherson. It was a tough and expensive venture. Stuart remembers wryly that at Christmas time the furnace in the theatre broke down and the company had to serve tea to the 30 people in the audience to keep them warm.

Next day, 10 tons of coal was delivered anonymously. Also, food hampers were sent round to the actors as proof of the kindness and generosity of Victoria folk.

Getting back to more recent times, some of the early productions in the little church included such well-known favorites as **Alice in Wonderland**, **Bobbino**, and **Hansel and Gretel** for the younger audiences, with **School for Wives** and **The Inspector-General** for more adult audiences. These plays produced "in the round" proved very popular.

At this time, also, school tours first came into being. Since then, the school tours have proved a great drawing card and this year advance bookings have been received from 58 schools.

In the spring of 1964, the little church on the corner was sold and it became necessary for Bastion to find a new home on Broad Street. Here, classes and workshops continued with ever-growing momentum, the emphasis being placed on children's theatre, tours of Vancouver Island, and the theatre school until such time as McPherson Playhouse became available for full-length productions in the spring of 1965.

Incidentally, the Broad Street studio is still in use for Saturday classes, although this summer Bastion launched out again in new premises on Blanshard Street.

The new building is large and a great improvement on the old one in that it is entirely self-contained, having room for offices, props and wardrobe room, scene shop, classrooms and a hall big enough for studio productions.

This hall is also used for rehearsals and any day of the week, one may hear the cheerful strains of music for The Three Bears, one of the tour plays, which is in rehearsal for the winter season.

Here you may see Don McManus as Poppa Bear, or Bill Hosie as Grizzly Bear, singing and acting to the wonderful music of Marge Adelberg. How the children are going to love these two and their other charming companions!

The theatre school is bigger again this year with three or four new instructors added. On Saturday mornings on Broad Street, Mrs. Kay Howard holds sway over the young fry. Mrs. Howard, who came to Bastion this fall, trained for theatre at the famous Fay Compton School in London, England.

Kay came to Canada many years ago, and it was in Canada that she first got the urge to teach and to direct.

Now the young people of Victoria are benefiting from her teaching. Here is a group of seven to 10-year-olds. They sit in a circle listening to Kay, whose persuasive voice is teaching them the art of concentration, and how to stretch their imaginations. Acting, she tells them, is believing, not pretending.

From hand to hand is passed an imaginary ice-cube. And one little boy shows very plainly that the invisible ice-cube made his hands tingle so much that he felt the need to blow on his chilled fingers once the "ice-cube that wasn't" had been successfully passed on to the next boy.

Afterwards, the children discussed the difference between handling a hot potato and an ice-cube. Which would be hardest to handle?

Is this far removed from acting? Is this teaching the children anything worthwhile? One has only to sit in on one or two classes to see how quickly the young ones begin to gain confidence in themselves. How they

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Of course, children are not the only ones to benefit from the Bastion classes. All ages are welcome, and many students are and have been used in Bastion productions. Whilst established actors most often used in plays also take classes and attend workshops to keep them in good acting trim.

The school has also been responsible for some fine successes among its students. For instance, at this year's Schools Drama Festival, the top three awards were won by Bastion students.

Among those who received their technical training here and have now gone on to work in other theatrical fields are Art Penson, so well known for his beautiful stage sets and costume design, and who is now working for Pasadena Playhouse. Paul Smitz also trained here and then became Bastion's stage manager when Stewart Paul left to work at Expo this summer.

Others who have worked with and benefited from Bastion are Harry Hill, now with Holiday Theatre in Vancouver, and Dougal Fraser who is at present furthering his training in England.

All these people and many more are, of course, gifted in their own right, but Bastion has been able to supply the impetus and drive to start them on their way.

But theatre costs money, and there's the snag. Bastion has been fortunate in gaining grants from the Koerner Foundation, and from our own City Hall as well as the Province of British Columbia. Also, from the very beginning, appeal has been made for a Canada Council Grant, but so far without avail.

The latest refusal from the Canada Council really aroused the anger of City Council who fully realize the good work being done here in Victoria by this group.

One might ask: "Why is so much money required? Good shows used to be put on in our church hall and they never asked for any money." The answer lies partly there. Shows in church halls often have very little overhead. In many cases the hall is for free, whether for rehearsal or actual production, and the actors—bless them—give their services freely.

With a project such as Bastion, however, the whole thing takes on the aspect of big business. The public in Victoria now expects and demands a high standard from their local theatre. To survive, Bastion must and does give their public what they want. But, at a cost.

For instance, how many lay people have any idea of what it costs to stage such a production as **Oliver** which last Christmas played to capacity houses, and has been one of the outstanding successes of this group.

Here are a few figures. Because **Oliver** was a new and popular musical, the royalties alone amounted to $1,851.60. However, this was the sum total of money which had to be paid away from Victoria. Other large sums were rental of theatre: $1,975; musicians; $1,698; actors' pay: $1,325. Other expenses include promotion and publicity, costumes and makeup, scenery and

A ladder becomes a bridge, and the crossing is dangerous, in Creative Drama classes. Making the crossing are, left to right, Michael Tromp, 8, Marguerite Shand, 7, and Todd Carter, 9.

props, as well as program and ticket printing.

If one pauses to think, one will realize that all these costs directly benefit the residents of Victoria, since printing is done locally, and materials for stage sets, costumes, etc., is all bought locally.

In fact, Bastion has proved itself no mean contributor to the local scene, financially as well as aesthetically. Since that meeting four years ago, Bastion Studio has gone steadily forward, yearly increasing its field until now actors from right across Canada write asking for a chance to perform here.

Meanwhile, in the teaching studios, students from the biggest to the smallest work hard and juggle their invisible ice cubes. But don't laugh. Maybe one of these infant jugglers will turn out to be big news one of these days when Canada takes her rightful place in the world of theatre.

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Building a Better Whistle

foghorn from other marine horns—presented a bit of a problem.

"Put in the **bass termination appendage** (officialese for "grunt") and we're in business," the federal officials told Swanson. A horn based on the train principle wouldn't do.

He experimented at the whistle farm and at his anechoic chamber. Evenings, he crept around fog-shrouded Gordon Head, capturing foghorn sounds on tape.

Finally he arrived at a solution to the "grunt" problem by building two horns: one with a basic note—110 frequency, two octaves below A-440—and the other with the grunt—a minor third below that. An electronic timing device switches from one horn to the other and back again.

Ottawa adopted the design in 1965 and plans to replace all diaphone types as they wear out.

Mr. Swanson says he is not alone in his love of a fine whistle "Whistle nuts all over the world write and phone me about their particular problems and peeves," he said. A man in England asked for an air whistle for his Rolls-Royce but decided not to use it because it's against English law.

Mr. Swanson has one under the hood of his own station wagon, contending it's not illegal in B.C.

He enjoys watching the heads swivel around looking for the locomotive when he blows it in heavy downtown traffic.

Mr. Swanson's biggest thrill from his "hobby" came in finding the right combination of notes to make the Centennial train whistle. He was later asked to make similar whistles for the Centennial caravans now touring Canada and an O Canada! whistle for Vancouver's B.C. Hydro Building.

Mr. Swanson was also pleased when the eldest of his two daughters, four-year-old Roberta, squelched her chum's bragging about their material possessions in their respective homes.

She said: "My home is the only one with an O Canada whistle!

Pottery Industry Flourished in Early Victoria

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window and fell insensible to the ground. He knew no more until he came to his senses under the doctor's care.

"Haberkorn, who at the time he cut his throat, was in all probability partially crazed with pain, and was removed to the Royal Hospital, where he is receiving every attention. His injuries are very serious and the prospects of his recovery are doubtful, his burns occasioning the utmost anxiety."

((I tried to learn what happened to poor Haberkorn, but could not; I can only take it he recovered, and went back to work in the pottery, for The Colonist noted: "The German's story of the origin of the fire is believed by the firm, as he is a careful and conscientious man, at no time given to the drink.")

Nothing daunted by all this, Keller and Burris went right to work rebuilding the pottery, and by spring it was ready to go: "There are at present 10 men working in the shop, but this number is expected to be doubled in a few days. A first class man has just arrived from Los Angeles to take charge, and Messrs. Keller and Burris expect to be able to turn out all kinds of tiles, flower pots, etc., of a quality superior to any of the imported articles." The next year a new pottery works opened in Victoria: "T. C. Nativel, who has been in the pottery business for 40 years, and who has just established himself in the old Novelty Iron Works, is enthusiastic upon the subject of Victoria clay. He obtains his supply from the Wilson Brown farm on the Saanich Road.

"He says: 'I have never worked anything like it — it is void of all refractory matter, it is pure earth and terra cotta proper. There is no fire clay in it, and every shovelful we have taken out is fusible.'

"Flower pots, drain tile, hollow brick tile, chimney pots are being made, and the quality and color of the terra cotta turned out will be unsurpassed."

I can find no further trace of Mr. Burris, but I would think this is the same Mr. Keller, mentioned in an 1896 special edition of The Colonist: "J. W. Keller Co. — this business, corner Yates and Quadra streets, was established 10 years ago and has since developed quite a large trade, both local and throughout the entire province.

"The premises comprise a two-storey building — Mr. Keller manufactures ornamental centre pieces and brackets, Corinthian and Doric capitals, and imports and deals in glazed and enameled, printed and art tiles, sewer pipe, fire brick, fire clay, cement and plaster.

"The trade is both wholesale and retail in character, and Mr. Keller supplies all the leading contractors and builders in the province.

"He was born in New York State. Early in life he removed to San Francisco, and 13 years ago arrived in Victoria."

Stepping Back Into History

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the front door and from it will step the master of the house and his lady.

The same sensation, judging from comments in the visitors' book inside the front door, has affected others — from as far afield as Kenya, Alaska, eastern Canada and the United States.

Strangely, although Point Ellice House is but a stone's throw from the centre of the city, Mrs. O'Reilly has found that "few people in Victoria even realized this historic house was here."

At the official opening ceremonies in September, deputy provincial secretary Lawrie Wallace was quick to point out that "many old Victoria homes could be restored if people would only use their imaginations."

John and Inez O'Reilly were a couple who did.

And now, Point Ellice House — in the centre of the city's industrial district — has become, in the words of one visitor: "An oasis surrounded by wood, steel and concrete."

GIFTS from

MURIEL WILSON'S Thought for Food

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Nothing says "I'm thinking of you," better than a personalized Christmas gift from your own kitchen. These are the gifts that money can't buy . . . these "special somethings," that spring from an imaginative mind and a tender heart, are always quite literally priceless. Wearing their beguiling telltale signs of your time and thought, your love or gentle humor, they are as rewarding to give as to repeive.

The question of what comes first, the food or the container, is an annual controversy. But we do know that fitting recipes to gift containers is as fascinating a game as you'll ever find in your kitchen. By browsing a bit you can discover more usable containers than you have names on your list.

Glasses of all shapes and sizes are wonderful for candy, cookies or jams, jellies or relishes. There is a tremendous selection of very reasonably priced wicker Chinese baskets that can hold fruit loaves, rolls, bread sticks, cheese straws, etc. In this case we get the basket to fit the food. Queer shaped pottery jars and pots hold herb butter, dips, sauces, etc. Glass stoppered apothecary jars are fine containers for all sorts of goodies. Cutlery trays, salad bowls, copper or aluminum molds . . . there is no end to the container possibilities. Clear cellophane and foil, plus red or green ribbon, are glamor wrappings. We save fancy boxes, jars and bottles, also paper cups from chocolates for Christmas packing.

You can't help but catch the Christmas spirit while making candy. The kitchen becomes the centre of excitement . . . the family flocks in to have a finger in the "doings" and there are always volunteers to lick out the pan.

FIVE MINUTE FUDGE . . . Combine 2-3 cup (small can) evaporated milk with 1 2-3 cups sugar and a ¼ tsp. salt. Place in a saucepan over medium heat. Heat to boiling. Cook 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in 1½ cups miniature marshmallows, 1½ cups chocolate chips, 1 tsp. vanilla and ½ cup chopped nuts. Stir until the marshmallows melt. Pour into a 9-inch-square pan. For a different version of this fudge : . . prepare 5 minute fudge as above then instead of pouring into a pan drop by teaspoonfuls on foil or heavy waxed paper. While drops are still soft, top with colored or silver sprinkles. This is considered a really foolproof fudge . . . you really can't go wrong.

Almond Butter Crunch looks professional yet it is simple to make. It is a fine gift candy.

ALMOND BUTTER CRUNCH . . . 1 cup sugar, ½ tsp. salt, ¼ cup water, ½ cup butter or margarine, 1½ cups blanched and finely chopped almonds, 2 6-oz. packages chocolate chips melted. Combine sugar, salt, water and butter. Heat to boiling. Cook to light crack stage (285 deg.). Add ½ cup of the nuts. Pour onto well-greased cookie sheet. Spread half the melted chocolate on top and sprinkle with ½ cup of nuts. Let get thoroughly cold. Turn upside down and spread with remaining chocolate and sprinkle with remaining nuts. Break into pieces. Walnuts may be used instead of almonds in this recipe. Packed in a large brandy glass, this is a sweet and tipsy eatching gift.

Stuffed dates, sugared nuts and pink fondant "strawberries" add interest to a box of home made candy.

What about that diabetic or calorie-counting friend? The sweetest gift of all for that special person who must restrict the intake of sugar is a gift made with a sugar substitute. A loaf of Banana Nut Bread would be appreciated.

SUGAR FREE BANANA NUT BREAD . . . 1 cup mashed bananas, 1 Tbsp. granulated sugar substitute (comes in a little glass bottle), 2 eggs well beaten, 1¾ cups cake or pastry flour, 3 tsp. baking powder, ¼ tsp. salt and ¼ cup chopped walnuts. Preheat oven to 350 deg. F. Sprinkle sugar substitute over bananas and blend well until dissolved. Resift with baking powder and salt. Add walnuts and mix well. Blend in banana mixture but do not overmix. Pour batter into greased loaf pan (approximately 4x7 inches). Bake 25 minutes at 350 deg. F., then reduce heat to 300 deg. F. and bake until done, about 25 minutes longer.

Another unsweetened confection is Grape Bon-Bonnettes, a sort of Turkish Delight.

GRAPE BON-BONNETTES . . . 1 12-oz. can or bottle of unsweetened grape juice, 2½ tsp. granulated sugar substitute, 3 envelopes unflavored gelatine, ¾ cup cold water, ¾ cup chopped walnuts, 2 Tbsp. cornstarch and ½ tsp. sugar substitute. Blend grape juice and the 2½

PERSONALIZED GIFTS

DEAR HELOISE:

Make use of that milk or buttermilk carton whenever you make pancake batter.

Pour the batter back into an empty milk carton through the open spout. You can then rinse all your utensils before they become encrusted with dry, hard-to-wash-off batter.

Now pour your pancakes from the spout on the milk carton.

When you are finished cooking, pinch the spout shut and any unused batter

will keep in your refrigerator. A vigorous shake mixes the batter the next day with no drippy mess . . . pancakes without even using a spoon or ladle.

Frank W. Holmes

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tsp. sugar substitute in saucepan. Sprinkle gelatine over the cold water to soften. Add to grape juice and heat just until gelatine is dissolved. Remove from heat and refrigerate, stirring occasionally until it is the consistency of unbeaten egg white. Add nuts, blending well. Pour into wax paper or foil lined 8x8-inch pan. Refrigerate until firm. Invert pan onto board that has been sprinkled with some of the sugar substitute and corn starch mixture. Peel off wax paper. Cut into ¾x1½-inch pieces. Roll in remaining cornstarch and sugar mixture. Makes 30 pieces.

There are many goodies that can be made with sugar substitutes ... the granulated sugar substitute is particularly satisfactory.

Turkish Rolls are not sugar free but they are lovely for the friend who has no health or weight problem.

TURKISH ROLLS ... ½ cup soft butter or margarine, 4 ozs. cream cheese, ½ tsp. vanilla, ¼ cup icing sugar, ¾ cup sifted all-purpose flour, ¼ tsp. salt, 1 pound Turkish Delight. Cream butter and cheese until well blended, add vanilla and gradually beat in the sugar. Stir in flour and salt. Chill dough in the refrigerator for a few hours. Roll out ¼ of dough at a time (keep balance refrigerated). Roll as thin as possible into a rectangle about 8x7 inches. Cut rectangle in half. Cut Turkish Delight into pieces about ½-inch thick. Place in a row along centre of each piece of dough. Fold dough over filling and roll up. Press edges together firmly to seal. Bake on ungreased sheet in 350 deg. F. oven until lightly browned. Slice into bite-sized pieces.

Chocolate covered date and nut balls are fancy and good ... not hard to make.

CHOCOLATE DATE AND NUT BALLS ... 1 cup finely chopped dates, 1 cup chopped nuts, 1 cup peanut butter and 1 cup icing sugar. Mix all the ingredients together. Blend well. Melt 4 squares semi-sweet chocolate over hot but not boiling water. Use a deep rather than a shallow pan or bowl for the chocolate. Let stand over hot water while dipping so that chocolate won't stiffen. Dip balls, drain and stand on foil to harden. I use a fork for dipping.

Cherry Winks are another little ball shaped confection.

CHERRY WINKS ... 1 cup butter or margarine, ½ cup icing sugar, 2 egg yolks, 2 cups sifted all purpose flour, dash salt, 2 tsp. almond flavoring and 35 to 40 well drained maraschino cherries (or glace cherries). Mix all ingredients to make a stiff dough. Chill. Pinch off small pieces of dough and press around cherries. Bake

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Bride's Corner

PRE-CHRISTMAS QUICK PICK-UPS FOR BUSY DAYS . . . try our Vim and Vigor savers . . .

It makes good sense to take "minute vacations" between sunup and sundown. Your energy supply will stretch farther and you'll get more done if you take a moment here and there to recharge your batteries.

Don't skip lunch while you are shopping. A quick hamburger and a beverage will give you fresh energy. You'll accomplish loads more and get through that list faster if you stop in mid-afternoon for a glass of milk or orange juice.

After a long day in the stores . . . slip off your shoes and stockings and patter around barefoot while you fix dinner. Oh, how it will relax your feet!

When you are "done in", lie flat on the carpet and rest your heels on the chesterfield. Stretch your arms out like a bird in flight. Close your eyes and think black. Relax for 5 minutes . . . that's all it takes to relax a weary body. Stretching is a good exercise to relieve tension.

Make a list of all the things you have to do before Christmas and number them according to priority. Then follow the list . . . and relax.

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By doing this, I have an extra drawer in the kitchen to use for other things.

Just Interested

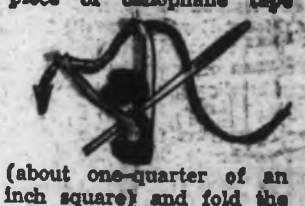
THE EYE HAVE IT!

DEAR HELOISE:

In a wool embroidery package, a needle and yarn are enclosed. But to put that yarn thread through the eye of that needle was an impossible feat for me. The yarn persistently divided and refused to go through.

After some discouragement I hit upon this idea:

Put the end of the thread of yarn on a very small piece of cellophane tape



(about one-quarter of an inch square) and fold the tape over.

Use your scissors to snip the tape to a point to fit the eye of the needle. It goes through with no effort at all.

After you have pulled the yarn through the eye of the needle, snip off the tape.

Presto! No more exasperating attempts.

Mrs. R. E. Thomas

GET A BEAD ON IT!

DEAR HELOISE:

Here is a good way to keep track of baby's diaper pins:

I buy beaded chain (such as is used on some key chains) and slide the bead at each end of the chain into the center coil at the bottom of the safety pins.

E. C.

Mothers, this is a wonderful idea as it lessens the possibility of baby getting hold of a pin and swallowing it or hurting himself.

We fixed the two pins and chain just as she suggested.

Then we pulled, tugged and twisted, but the bead did not come out of the coil so there could be no danger of baby getting the chain loose.

Heloise

THAT NET AGAIN!

DEAR HELOISE:

I wind strips of nylon net on wooden hangers for those slippery, wide-necked blouses and dresses — and now they stay put.

Michelle Park

If you have a hint, problem or suggestion you'd like to share . . . write to Heloise in care of this newspaper.

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SAVE THE EMPTIES

DEAR HELOISE:

Since my family can never remember to tell me when they've run out of something, I keep a special small wastebasket in one of the bathrooms for "empties".

When anyone uses the last of something — hair spray, toothpaste or aspirin, etc.— they simply put the empty bottle, tube, or box into this special wastebasket.

It's easy to check each day and I make my shopping list accordingly.

Mrs. W.D.K.

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I know one woman who keeps a perfectly balanced grocery shelf. As she uses a can of mushrooms, etc., she tears off the labels.

She says it's much easier to make her list from the labels each week.

If she has two labels from canned peas, she knows she should buy only two cans.

Don't you just hate to get home with six cans of peas and have forgotten the oleo?

Heloise

BASEMENT BARGAIN

DEAR HELOISE:

I always add a cupful of liquid wax to the water when I scrub my cement basement floor. I find that it not only fills up the tiny cracks, but I don't have as much dust as before.

Jeanette Johnson

THE PROPER WAY

DEAR HELOISE:

My little one isn't quite old enough to sit up by himself, so I put him in the stroller with a small pillow behind his back and a neck pillow in front of him.

The curved part of the neck pillow fits snugly around his stomach and holds him in a sitting position.

This way he can watch what is going on and it is also comfortable for him when taking him out in his stroller.

Mrs. A. P.

THIS WILL ROCK YOU!

DEAR HELOISE:

I got tired of using scatter rugs to protect the floor under my rocker, so I turned the chair upside down, and glued on strips from a heavy, felt rug pad.

When the glue dried, I sat in the chair and tried it out. The strips cushioned it beautifully.

Any strip of carpeting or weather stripping could be used.

Bess Colin

NO FLOUR, CHILDREN!

DEAR HELOISE:

I keep a small, clear plastic bag in the front of my recipe box to slip over the recipe cards when I use them.

Keeps my cards from getting soiled while being handled.

Mrs. Dolores Mangione

BIRD'S-EYE VIEW

DEAR HELOISE:

When diapers get old and soft, don't throw them away.

Use the old, soft diaper together with a newer one. Put the old one next to the baby for extra softness on his tender skin.

To save time, sew the old diaper to the new one only at one edge, so they will open flat for faster drying.

Margaret Larsen

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It took more than skill to be eligible for the pioneer B.C. order of master mariners known as swiftwater pilots—it took sheer guts.

SWIFTWATER PILOTS

By T. W. PATERSON

Besides the innumerable death-traps of raging currents, not to mention boilers which exploded with almost monotonous regularity, a riverboat skipper had to contend with the competition. Rules of the road were open to interpretation; should a master choose to argue the right-of-way, it was every boat for itself and heaven protect the passengers!

Although this rambunctious breed, which opened B.C.'s hinterland to gold-hungry prospectors from 1858 on, had become respectable by the turn of the century, there was still the odd throw-back to wilder days. Like fiery Capt. Bonsar, onetime master of the steamer Hazelton, who was hauled before a special board of inquiry in Victoria in 1906, to answer charges laid by another Skeena River master, Capt. Stewart B. Johnson.

It seems Capt. Bonsar objected to Johnson's new sternwheeler, the popular Mount Royal, sharing the same river—to the point of shifting a navigation buoy. Capt. Johnson drew the nasty conclusion Bonsar hoped he would crack up his ship.

Passengers told hair-raising tales of races between the two steamers. If either paused to load wood, and the rival craft steamed into view, deckhands would clamber aboard, cut the moorings and the battle was on. Speedy Mount Royal invariably took the honors. Not that Capt. Bonsar could be accused on not trying.

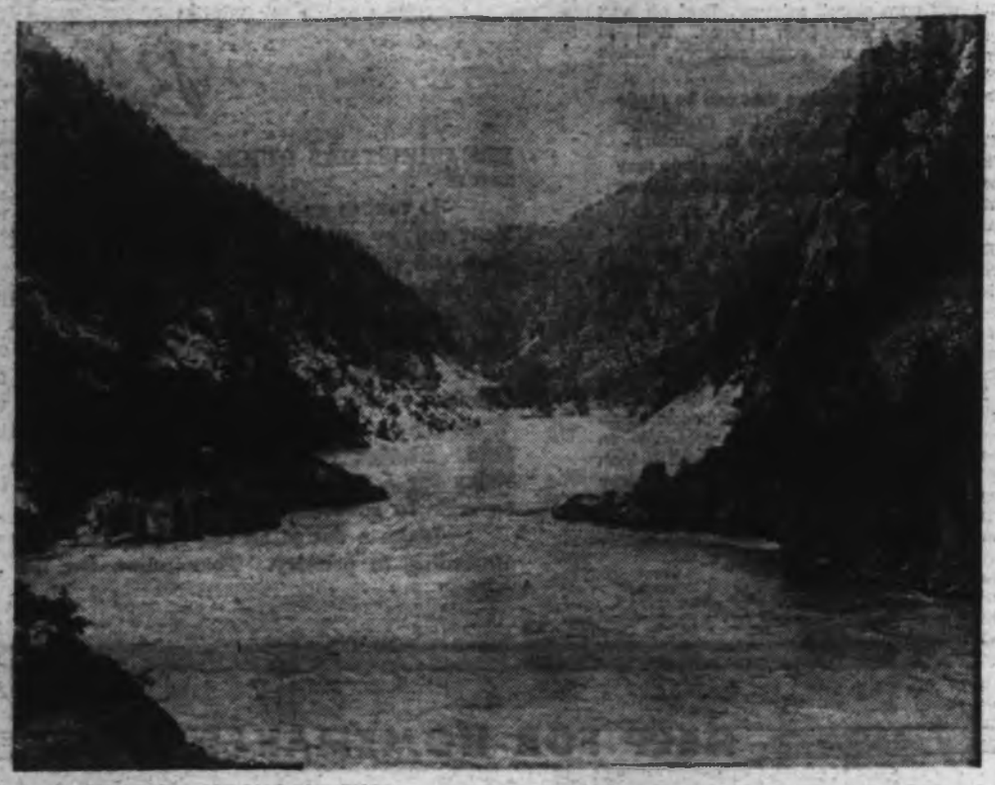
Once, witnesses testified, the Hazelton had been loading wood at Hardscrabble Bar, when the Hudson's Bay Company steamer chanced upon the scene. Hastily slipping her lines, Capt. Bonsar had boiled across stream to the port channel.

"The Mount Royal gained quickly . . . and with her engines thumping noisily made her way past the bow of the Hazelton. But Capt. Bonsar would not be passed. The bow of his vessel struck the (Royal) on her starboard quarter, pressing against her and swinging her around.

"As the Hazelton continued to push the after quarter, the Royal veered until she was broadside to the current. Gradually the Hazelton slid free, and the rival steamer, unable to answer her helm, was backed astern that she might be straightened up to the swift current again."

Bonsar had just begun to fight. Throwing his helm hard over, he was soon leading another attack, steaming full speed into the Royal's midship; "it seemed as though one of the vessels was to be crippled!"

Shoving open his pilothouse window, Bonsar shook his fist angrily at Johnson, who shouted back. Their duel suddenly became near disaster as Hazelton's bow raked Mount Royal's tall superstructure and caught. The savage current then joined the melee, hurling the entangled vessels shoreward.



FRASER CANYON, NEAR NORTH BEND.

Capt. Johnson impotently spun his wheel, trying to regain control, but Hazelton's weight was too much, arching his ship about in a semi-circle. Hazelton then broke free; with a defiant laugh and blast of his whistle, Bonsar charged upstream and out of sight.

That was riverboating, 60 years ago!

For the record, it should be mentioned that Capt. Johnson was a completely different cut than the belligerent Bonsar. Then only 29, he was considered "one of the best river navigators and swiftwater masters on the Pacific Coast," having apprenticed on the busy freshwater steamers of Washington and Oregon.

The test of his skill and courage came without warning, two years later, on the bright summer afternoon of July 6, 1907.

Bound for Port Essington, at the mouth of the Skeena, Mount Royal cleared Hazelton on her last voyage at 9 a.m., July 6. ". . . In a few minutes," recalled passenger Edward Potts, "we were in the forks of the Skeena and Bulkley Rivers on a first class and powerful steamer, commanded by an excellent, cool and calculating captain.

"There was very little freight on board, but that, unfortunately, was of considerable value. About 11 o'clock we stopped for fuel and this took considerable time. Lunch was now served and the majority of us did justice to the same, and I fancy now I see Purser O'Keefe by my side, smiling, and Mate Lewis, with his quiet ways, aloft.

"A powerful blast of the whistle told us we were close to Meanskinisht, known to most travellers as the Holy City, and in charge of Rev. R. Tomlinson. Here we let off two prospectors and took on Miss A. L. Tomlinson, who is making her first trip outside in 19 years."

The voyage proceeded uneventfully until 3 o'clock, when "an extra long blast of the whistle announced we were going through (Kitselas) Canyon. O'Keefe remarked to me that (the ship) had not touched a rock this year. At 3 p.m. by my watch, we entered the head, and O'Keefe said, 'Hold on tight, boys!' for a gust of wind had caught her bow and no one on earth could prevent the crash on the flat rock, throwing her bow up at least three feet."

Mount Royal had confidently barrelled into the mile-long gorge as she had so many times before during her busy five years. Capt. Johnson caressed the large wheel as he deftly guided his surging craft through the hell of raging water known as Kitselas Canyon. Ringbolt Island, a long, low reef jutting up in mid-channel, began to flash by.

Swiftwater navigation was a delicate art; skill and nerves of steel against a vindictive foe. But even experience and courage could not cope with the unknown. Kitselas Canyon allowed not the slightest margin for error or the unexpected. When a squall knifed through the pass, it slammed the lightly-laden steamer's bluffhouse-work like a sail.

High above, in the wheelhouse, Capt. Johnson felt his ship shudder, as she nudged the island, even before he could think. Mount Royal groaned to a halt, her spoon-like bow impaled on the rocks. Almost by reflex, Johnson ordered the 27 passengers ashore and began bawling instructions to his crew to save the ship.

With Johnson directing operations from the wheel-house roof, Mate W. L. Lewis threw the gangplank overside and bundled the passengers, including Mrs. Johnson, onto the rocky island. There was no panic; indeed, hardly any haste, —the passengers seemingly reluctant to abandon their comfortable ship for the inhospitable beach. All had been deceived by the light crash. They did not realize, as did the experienced crew, that time was their only ally. If Mount Royal could be secured to the island, she might be saved.

If the frothing Skeena regained control, the valiant steamer was doomed.

Calmly the deckhands attempted to moor their stranded ship fore and aft to a tree. Lewis hoped to winch her snuggly to the island, but found the capstan had been damaged and was useless. Mount Royal's precious minutes had run out.

Pivoting on her trapped bow, the ship began to spin towards the opposite shore. Slowly, then gaining speed as the current grabbed her, she whipped around. As the horrified passengers

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watched dazedly, the pride of the Skeena splintered her mighty paddlewheel against the other bank. The steamer now was wedged cross-river like a dam!

The end came suddenly, violently. With her engineers and firemen at their posts below, the deckhands at their emergency stations, Capt. Johnson on the pilothouse, gallant Royal heeled before the overpowering fury of current and wind. The merciless river writhed over the starboard rail, flooding posh cabins, then, with the strength of a tidal wave shouldered her over.

To the gasps of those on shore, and the wail of straining, breaking wood and iron, Mount Royal turned turtle and started downstream, bottom up, at a murderous 10 knots.

Miraculously Chief Engineer Ben Madigan and his assistant, made their escape from below, reaching deck just as the steamer capsized. The frightened pair were instantly sucked away by the boiling current remaining afloat by clutching pieces of wreckage.

"Their passage through the swirling waters must have been of the most thrilling character, and how they kept afloat is regarded as marvelous by those who know the awful speed of the waters of Kitsclas Canyon. Their race against death lasted nearly a mile and it was when they had passed out of the canyon—that they were able to make the shore.

Four hours later, the shivering engineers were rescued by Indians.

One of the Japanese deckhands had scrambled over the ship's rolling hull "like a squirrel in a revolving cage," to join three others on the wild voyage through rapids on Mount Royal's bottom.

Bert Frayne, a fireman, had been off watch at the time of the crash. He had helped the passengers ashore and secured a hawser to the tree trunk, then hurried aboard to join his shipmates. He disappeared when the steamer rolled.

The heroic purser, Victorian James O'Keefe, had been the first to help passengers disembark, then hastened back to the ship. He was last seen by deckhand Joseph Offett, bravely swimming for shore. He vanished in a giant whirlpool. It would have been his twentieth birthday the following Sunday.

Thirty-two year old Steward Archie Willis and Mate Lewis were last seen handling the lines on deck. When Mount Royal's shattered hulk drove aground on a sand bar down-stream, Willis' mangled body was chopped from the wreckage.

After the passengers had been evacuated, "orders were given to throw out a cable and make fast to the island," recalled Offett. "This couldn't be done as the capstan had been damaged and put out of action. The mate orderel a cable on the after cleat to keep the boat from swinging. This was impossible, for the boat was tilting with each succeeding drop of water coming over her guard, and started to turn and tear herself away from the portion anchored on the ledge.

"I went over with the boat as she started down the waters of the rough canyon and landed below . . ." Entangled in the lifeboat when the ship overturned, the deckhand was dragged onto the hull by fireman William Jones. Steward Willis, he said, "was working with me on the cable and I did not see him again alive after the vessel tipped."

A passenger, Mrs. F. M. Phillips, of Oregon, told how Purser O'Keefe had stormed into her stateroom, saying: "Quick, the boat is going to crack in 10 minutes!" and carried her ashore. He then returned to the ship and she "never saw him again."

Capt. Johnson, she said, had "stepped down the companionway to the deck below and to the shore just as the Royal was turning." Johnson did not even wet his feet; a split second after he landed, Mount Royal capsized.

Throughout the disaster, Johnson had been "cool and collected," reported K. H. Rolley, a passenger from Matsqui. But when he saw "the best and most loyal crew that ever stepped on the deck of any boat" being whisked downstream, he "broke down and cried piteously . . . and the efforts of Edward Bissett and E. E. Potts, passengers, were necessary to keep him from jumping in the river."

Word of the tragedy reached Victoria almost instantly. Government operator J. W. Graham manned a tidal gauge at the foot of Kitselas Canyon, telegraphing daily reports to Hazelton. He immediately wired Victoria:

"Mount Royal total wreck in canyon 3 p.m. today; don't expect loss of life will be large as I can see a large crowd on Ringbolt Island, including the captain. First and second engineers came through canyon on debris. Indians in canoes are now working to get passengers off island. Expect to know full particulars at 7 p.m.—Graham."

ISLANDER Crossword Puzzle

Last Week's Crossword Puzzle Answers Appear on Page 15

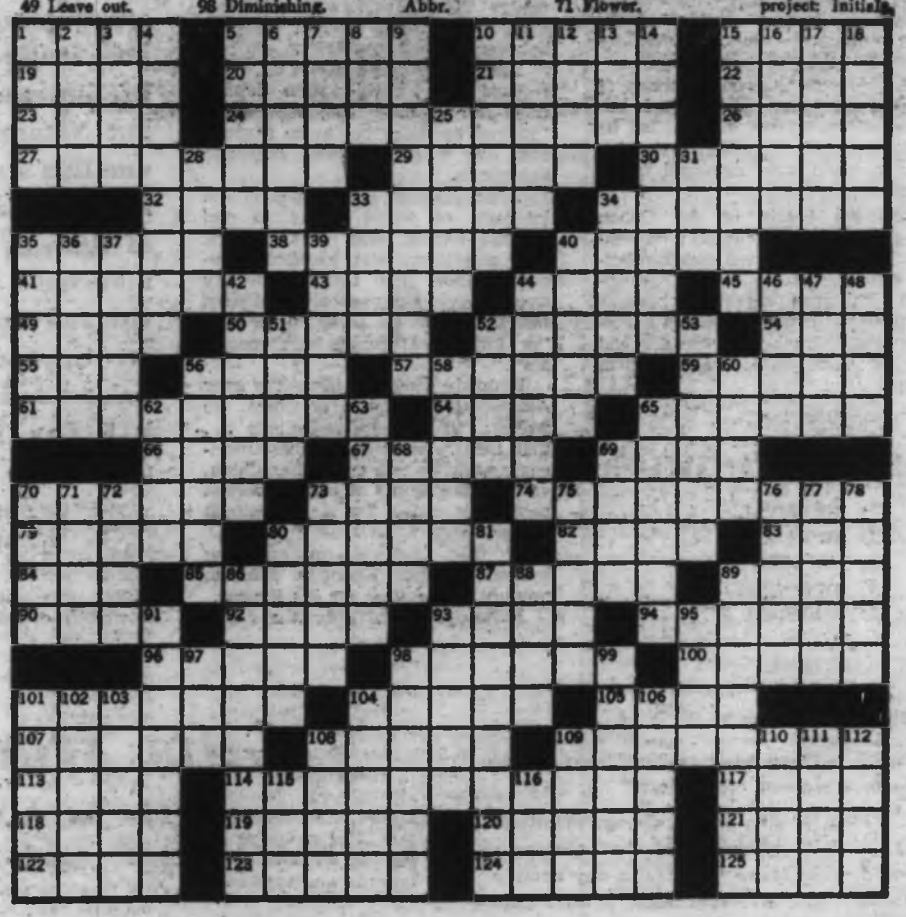
By M. S. Manning

ACROSS

1 Legal tender.
5 Hold one's ground.
10 Weather word.
15 Time gone by.
19 Large lake.
20 What Hercules did.
21 Kind of musical comedy.
22 Preminger.
23 Conceded facts.
24 What the Reds lack.
26 School or jacket.
27 Bygone city sight.
29 "Northwest Passage," for instance.
30 Annual amount acquired.
32 Cool deserts.
33 Lifts very high.
34 Expressed scorn.
35 Steep, as some cliffs.
38 Experimental treatments.
40 System of signals.
41 Police barriers.
43 Spheres or globes.
44 ___ of Tampa.
45 Counterfeit.
49 Leave out.
50 Pitiless.
52 They provide motion.
54 First lady.
55 Receipt: Abbr.
56 Mai, for instance.
57 Raises one's spirits.
59 Insertion mark.
61 Fretworks.
64 Roman road.
65 Mistakes.
66 Rocks containing metals.
67 Better.
69 Opera melody.
70 Atlanta's baseball team.
73 Baseball error.
74 Mines.
79 Character parts in plays.
80 Has the least moisture.
82 Speak like a child.
83 Especially: Abbr.
84 Snake.
85 Hikers' paths.
87 Wear away.
89 Time of an event.
90 Try out.
92 Possesses.
93 Weather report.
94 Person untidy in dress.
96 It's ___ times 2 words.
98 Diminishing.
100 On one's toes.
101 African beast.
104 Trigonometrical proportions.
105 Hush, as a voice.
107 Terrified.
108 Encounters.
109 Walking spirits.
113 Smelting residue.
114 Perpetual.
117 Not working.
118 Raced: Slang.
119 Appraised.
120 Slip away.
121 African river.
122 Rise higher.
123 Sliding vehicles.
124 Comforter.
125 Man's nickname.

DOWN

1 Yield.
2 Salt sea in Russia.
3 Location.
4 Weightiest.
5 Roster of candidates.
6 Dullest, in a sense.
7 Retired.
8 And not.
9 Potable.
10 Desires.
11 Unaspirated consonants.
12 Beelzebub's stock in trade.
13 Where Innsbruck is: Abbr.
14 Souvenir.
15 Amy Lowell.
16 Oil used in perfumes.
17 Fire up.
18 Pitched.
25 Twists.
28 Land measure.
31 French for a lady's maiden name.
33 Word for a king.
34 Certain flights.
35 Wall Street term.
36 Former opera great.
37 Girl's name.
39 Stir up.
40 Provide food.
42 Tallies.
44 Politicians' targets.
46 Admired man.
47 Affirm.
48 N.Y. City baseball club.
51 Jacob ___, philanthropist.
52 Ship's officer.
53 Be sparing of.
56 The least.
58 Where deer gather.
60 Lebanon native.
62 Small bay.
63 They travel slowly.
65 Rube out.
68 Small islands.
69 Very dry.
70 Disagreeable child.
71 Flower.
72 Blanc and others.
73 Fetch.
75 Mr. Kelly, for instance.
76 Go away.
77 Chemical formed by acid and alcohol.
78 Gave away.
80 Comes to one slowly.
81 Stage name.
86 Alarm clocks of a sort.
88 French kings.
89 They belong to the whale family.
91 Songbird.
93 ___ Fe, N.M.
95 Young girl.
97 "___ Miserables."
98 Brandishes.
99 Rio ___.
101 Shoemakers should stick to theirs.
102 Eskimo hut.
103 Character in "Gone With the Wind."
104 Scorched.
106 Wrath.
108 Apportion.
109 Favoritism.
110 Prepare for printing.
111 ___ Logan, singer.
112 Beheld.
115 Man's nickname.
116 Federal power project: Initials.



The news "cast a shadow of gloom over the city," home of Mount Royal's six lost crewmen. As Skeena Indians courageously conducted the ticklish rescue of survivors stranded on Ringbolt Island, newspaper and telegraph offices were swamped by inquiries from anxious Victorians.

Lost Japanese deckhand Frank Amata had been an "interesting personality," a veteran of the famous torpedo boat raids of the China-Japan war. "He knew every part of the Mount Royal and for general handiness was unsurpassed among the crew. He could turn his hands to carpentry and painting and was useful in many other respects. He was one of the most devoted servants of the company."

Sixth victim had been another Japanese, carpenter J. Morishima. During winter lay-up he and Amata had worked as waiters in the Pacific Club.

When all survivors had been attended to, Capt. Johnson spent five days at the grim task of searching for bodies. Only Steward Willis' was found. Johnson dynamited river pools in hopes of driving bodies to the surface, but without success. Disheartened, he returned to Victoria.

A year before, the steamer Pheasant had wrecked in Kitselas Canyon, without loss of life. Earlier, eight men had drowned in the deadly gorge when their barge was overturned.

As we said, it took guts—and lots of them—to go riverboating way back when!

What Makes Bobby Run?

Reviewed by E. D. WARD-HARRIS

Robert F. Kennedy is a political enigma. That this strong-willed, dynamic figure is driven by an overpowering sense of duty is obvious. What is not clear is whether he considers his duty is to his family or his country.

His latest book, *To Seek a Newer World*, leaves unanswered the conundrum, What makes Bobby run?

This book specifies in six essays and a postscript the problems that concern him and outlines his suggested solutions, whilst leaving himself plenty of room for considerable manoeuvring.

The most provocative section of the book is that devoted to Vietnam. This contains the accusation that President Johnson lost the best possible opportunity to end the bombing of North Vietnam last winter because "he was lulled by a false scent of victory."

In devastating detail, he shows that Hanoi agreed to talks based on previous U.S. conditions, but that Johnson introduced new conditions which Hanoi could not possibly accept.

For Kennedy to lambast Johnson publicly shortly after grudgingly agreeing to support him, is front-page news and nobody knows that better than Kennedy.

He not only accuses Johnson of missing the chance to reach an honorable settlement in Asia, but he rubs his nose in it by saying that his brother would have managed things differently.

"At the height of the Cuban missile crisis," he writes: "President Kennedy received two conflicting messages from Nikita Khrushchev: The first offered to remove the missiles under acceptable conditions; the following day the demand was for unacceptable concessions in return.

"President Kennedy simply ignored the second statement and announced his agreement to the first. The crisis was thus resolved without open conflict.

"Such a technique," he adds, "might have yielded fruitful results in 1967."

References to President Kennedy occur throughout the book. These could be a subtle reminder to people that there was a President Kennedy and that there could very will be another one.

Kennedy hammers home his attack on the Johnson administration in the section of the book dealing with the nuclear nightmare.

Kennedy says that in May, 1966, China, after exploding her third nuclear device, was willing to stop further tests in exchange for a pledge that America would not initiate the use of nuclear weapons between the two countries.

The offer, says Kennedy, was refused by the U.S. state department because the department "judged the offer not to be sincere, and that it was without adequate safeguards."

After pointing out it was in the interests of world safety to end Chinese testing, and acknowledging that scepticism was justified, Kennedy states that Chinese perfidy would have automatically released the U.S. from its pledge, therefore "no further safeguards were necessary."

Kennedy confesses his worry over Americans' ignorance of China. He writes: "It is hard to believe ... that today one-fourth of the American people do not know that China, with one-fourth of the world's people, is ruled by a Communist government."

If true, this is an appalling indictment, but Kennedy fails to produce any source for his figures.

Kennedy ranges over the whole field of domestic problems, worrying about the generational gap, and singling out the ghetto as the most pressing U.S. problem, the key to which, he stresses, is education.

If his facts about "schools, bluntly (which) do not teach" are accurate, his concern is eminently justified. Of the New York City vocational schools, which spend $11,500,000 a year on students, he comments:

"The outstanding plumbing student from one school could not pass a test for admission to the plumbers' union apprentice program."

His solution to the ghetto problem is rejuvenation. Create public and private jobs within the ghettos, and educate the children, he advises; then, by letting them earn money in their own communities they'll take care of their own problems.

To Seek a Newer World is a very readable book. As a political platform, it shows Kennedy's concern about problems of the moment, whilst I repeat, leaving him ample room for manoeuvre.

Half a million Americans are directly committed to the Vietnam war, which means that millions of their relatives and friends are emotionally involved. U.S. universities are in ferment over the issue, and Sen. Eugene McCarthy (who some think is a stalking-horse for Kennedy) is opposing Johnson for the Democratic presidential nomination, expressly on the Vietnam issue.

Add to this the expected troubles in 1968 over the military draft and the dangerous brew being concocted by militant Negroes, and we have the makings of a lively presidential election year.

The publishing of To Seek a Newer World at this moment is yet another example of the superb sense of timing displayed by the Kennedys.

TO SEEK A NEWER WORLD, by Robert F. Kennedy; Doubleday; 233 pages; $5.95.

ANAGRAM ANSWERS

(1) FESTIVAL
(2) BUTTRESS
(3) OSCULATE
(4) DISPATCH
(5) SINISTER

African Wildlife

In recent years many admirable books have been inspired by the wildlife and scenery of Africa, but *Nature's Paradise* is one that stands supreme. As a brilliant exposition of the way in which the mammals, birds, insects, fish and reptiles of Africa are dependent on their habitat and on each other it is fascinating and unique.

This wonderful book with its magnificent black and white pictures from cover to cover has seven sections devoted to different types of habitat—the coral reef, the dry thornbush country, open bush and woodland, the plains, the lakes, the forests, and the mountains near the equator. In an eighth section the author illustrates the varying consequences, some of them disastrous, that follow natural and human interference with the habitat upon which the animals precariously depend for their existence.

Every chapter is introduced by a four-page commentary and full captions accompany the photographs.

With its lavish production this spectacular book, which is to be followed by others on Africa, America and Australia, is one that will appeal to the widest general public as well as to anyone who has a special or specialist interest in natural history, photography, or the African continent.

If you have someone special on your Christmas gift list this is a book well worth considering.—ALEC MERRIMAN.

Nature's Paradise: Africa, by Don and Jean Bartlett; Collins; 300 pages; $21.50.

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on lightly greased sheet in 320 degree F. oven. Shake in a bag with icing sugar.

Either for gifts or for your own entertaining, there is nothing nicer than Christmas Fruit Bread. It can be baked in any number of shapes . . . flat loaves baked in layer cake pans, braided loaves, fat round loaves baked in round casseroles, little triple loaves in a loaf pan or high hat loaves baked in juice or vegetable tins.

There is just no end to the ways this rich fruity dough can be baked. It can be glazed with a thin white frosting and decorated with red cherries and green pineapple bits. The glaze can be sprinkled with chopped nuts or blanched and split almonds or whole pecans. Your imagination is the only limit. Any of these loaves wrapped in clear cellophane and tied with red ribbon and a holly sprig will make a lovely gift. The following

Gifts from the Kitchen

recipe will make 4 to 6 loaves according to the size. The recipe is not new but one of the most popular we have ever published. It seems to have become an "annual."

CHRISTMAS FRUIT BREAD . . . 2 packages dry yeast, ½ cup warm water, 2 cups milk, ½ cup shortening, 2 eggs, 1 cup sugar, 1 tsp. cinnamon, 1 tsp. cardamom seed (if you like an illusive flavor), 2 tsp. salt, 1 cup seedless raisins, 1 cup whole red glace cherries, 1 cup mixed glace fruit, 2 rings green glace pineapple and 7 to 8 cups all purpose flour. Soften the yeast in the warm water, scald the milk and pour over sugar, salt and shortening. Stir to dissolve. Cool to luke warm. Add yeast mixture, add the beaten eggs. Add about half the flour and beat well. Add the fruit. Add the remainder of the flour gradually, add just enough to make a soft dough that can be handled. It should be a bit sticky. Turn out on well floured board and knead lightly until smooth. Return to bowl and grease top. Let stand in a warm place until double in bulk. A sweet dough takes a little longer to rise than regular bread dough. I often make this overnight letting it stand on kitchen counter.

When nice and light punch down, turn out on floured board and divide into the size loaves you wish. Shape into loaves kneeding lightly. Place in greased pans, casseroles, baking sheets or juice tins. Pyrex or Corning ware are excellent for baking bread but with these the heat should be reduced by 25 degrees F. Let loaves rise until almost double in bulk (they will rise slightly more in the oven. Brush with melted butter before baking, for softer crust. Bake in 350 degree F. oven until golden. The time required will depend on the size of the loaves. Cool on wire rack. If loaves are to be frozen leave frosting and garnishing until just before using. More fruit may be used in this bread if desired.

Whatever your gifts, be it Cadillac or cookies, see that it is wrapped with love and tied with your heart strings.

K A NEWER WORLD, t F. Kennedy; Double- pages; $5.95.

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Thorwald Scores Again

Reviewed By
GEORGE GIBSON

What about the Dr. Sam Sheppard murder trial? Do you think he was guilty?

Plenty of people do. So many in fact still think the Ohio physician killed his wife that he is leaving the U.S. to live in Europe. "I'm constantly on trial," he has been quoted recently as saying.

If he does go to Europe, Dr. Sam should look up Jurgen Thorwald. This German author seems convinced of the innocence of the convicted then acquitted Dr. Sheppard.

Thorwald uses the constantly-developing science of criminology to back up his case for Sheppard. And the bungling investigation of the murder, compounded by the ineptness of an elected coroner makes one wonder how the case ever came to trial in the first place.

CRIME AND SCIENCE, by Jurgen Thorwald; Longmans Canada; 404 pages; $11.25.

But who is Thorwald to have an opinion all the way from Germany? He's the highly successful author of Century of the Detective, a best-seller on criminal science that came out two years ago.

This latest volume, a companion-piece, which is full of cases such as Sheppard's, also brings forth just how baffling cases have been solved.

The solution to the 1949 mid-air explosion aboard a Quebec Airways DC 3 was a triumph for scientific skill. The author re-weaves the events that led to the destruction of 23 innocent lives and the eventual ensnarement of an elusive Albert Guay and accomplices Marguerite Pitre and Genereux Ruest.

Such advances as neutron activation analysis which can take a single hair and hang a man on its evidence is explained in such a way as to make fascinating reading.

The whole book is fascinating. Buy it if you're a crime literature fan.

O'Brien Made Money . . . and Did Little Else

. . . believes Reviewer CECIL CLARK

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In the waning weeks of Centennial year **O'Brien** is another chance for us westerners to cast an eastward glance. To sense this time something of the folkways of Ontario, and Renfrew in particular. Of course if you know Renfrew there will be additional reason to be interested in the life and times of Michael John O'Brien. Unfortunately biographer Scott Young seems to depend a little too much on the back files of the Renfrew Mercury to catalogue the intricacies of his hero's rise to fame.

Frankly I could quite cheerfully forego the pleasure of ever hearing of Mr. O'Brien again; even though he was so sober and hardworking, and did so well by his splendid family. Even though he started life by packing the water bucket to a railroad construction crew at the age of 10, and ended up with a million bucks. And had the good fortune to do it before there was any income tax.

Not that I am envious of men that accumulate wealth; but somehow I would have preferred Mr. O'Brien hunched in his stock saddle viewing his boundless Alberta acres, or maybe rescuing some of his hard rock help, trapped in one of his wealth-providing mines.

For in the mere making of money, it seems, M. J. too often proved himself but a fast hand with a sudden option. Of course if you enjoy reading stockholder's reports, maybe you'll find interest in his

O'BRIEN, by Scott Young and Astrid Young; Ryerson Press; 249 pages; $6.50.

repetitious wheeling and dealing, with referee Scott Young gently nodding a p p r o v a l. I say this, because Mr. Young adds a long footnote to prove how adept Mr. O'Brien could be in sidestepping the probing questions at a Royal Commission.

Maybe it was an oversight on the part of the author — maybe a detail the Mercury didn't print — but I couldn't find where the celebrated Michael John ever watched a sunset, smelt a flower or read a book.

Of course he built that opera house in his native Renfrew, but probably with the same forethought that prompted those contributions to the campaign funds of Liberals and Conservatives alike.

"Along the way to great riches," notes Mr. Young in the fly leaf, "Michael John O'Brien helped to build Canada," Could be. Possibly one of the side effects was the birth of the CCF!

There is mild sport interest in the fact that his son Ambrose, helped get the National Hockey League on the road back in 1909. But here again, unfortunately, the O'Brien money intrudes with Ambrose in one game spending $2,550 in player bonuses to ensure Renfrew beating Ottawa.

In this brief reference you won't tense to the sudden shock of a body check, or shoulder your way in the headlong rush to the goal mouth. You get just box office appraisals and struggles for franchise.

Somehow the book left me with the feeling of relief; relief that I wasn't a minority stockholder in the path of O'Brien!

THIS IS PHYLLIS DILLER, comedienne and perfect wife; a housemaker who keeps her house spotless, a ravishing beauty who always dresses to please her husband . . . better read the book for her advice.

TV Personalities Bring Chuckle on Every Page

There is a c h u c k l e on every page of *Phyllis Diller's Marriage Manual* and Johnny Carson's *Misery Is a Blind Date.*

These two top TV personalities have turned their talents to the book fields and their written gags are just as funny as their programs.

In both books the illustrations contribute greatly.

It is the second book for Phyllis Diller, her first being Phyllis Diller's Housekeeping Hints.

In her new book she displays plenty of wit and humor in her advice to married couples.

Among her "useful" bits of advice:

Honeymoons: "Never refer to your wedding night as the original amateur hour."

Mothers-in-law: "Be sure your mother-in-law has left the house before spraying with air freshener."

Johnny Carson's book is short and funny and can be read in a few minutes, but you will want to read it over and over again and pass it along to your friends.

He says: "Misery is . . . explaining the birds and bees to your young son and then overhearing him tell the girl next door, Guess what, you're going to have a bee . . ."

There are nearly 50 illustrated gags like that in Carson's book.

—A.R.M.

PHYLLIS D I L L E R 'S MARRIAGE MANUAL; Illustrated by Susan Perl; Doubleday; 115 pages; $2.95.

MISERY IS A BLIND DATE, by Johnny Carson. Illustrated by Whitney Darrow, Jr.; Doubleday; $2.95.

ALSO RECEIVED: Mosaic; University of Manitoba Press; 150 pages; $1.75. This is the first issue of a new university periodical. Mosaic is expressly a journal for the comparative study of literature and ideas. Content of first issue (literature and history — to be developed in next four issues) gives promise that here is a specialized quarterly of great worth. Mosaic is obviously produced by people of merit for intellectuals and is the antithesis of The M a l a h a t, the home-grown product of dubious value. E.D.W.H.

NEW BOOKS and AUTHORS

Winds of Change Vatican Bows

Reviewed by
E. D. WARD-HARRIS

In a world where sudden, bewildering and fundamental changes are commonplace, old institutions must move with the times or wither and die.

THE CHANGING VATICAN, by Alberto Cavallari; Doubleday; 215 pages; $5.95.

Even the Vatican, which has often acted pragmatically but which normally "thinks in centuries," can no longer be an exception to the rule

Throughout its long chequered history the Vatican has retained its supremacy, has survived wars, tyrants and schisms, by its stubborn refusal to bow to storms that destroyed less agile institutions. Its stubbornness has been its strength and its continuity through its popes has afforded inner security to its multi-racial flock.

But the status quo is no longer enough. Godless ideologies and the rapid march of science have produced pressures which can no longer be ignored. How does an age-old institution adapt to these pressures?

Alberto Cavallari, a renowned Italian journalist with a growing European reputation as a penetrating writer on current affairs, decided to find out. **The Changing Vatican** is a report of his investigation.

Cavallari devoted a year to his task. Granted unique opportunities to roam the vast, complex offices of the Vatican to observe first-hand the revolutionary changes that are taking place, he also interviewed Pope Paul himself as well as leading cardinals and numerous Vatican officials.

The Changing Vatican is not a theological work; Cavallari is always the journalist and never allows himself to be overawed by the ancient and powerful, often inscrutable and seemingly contradictory institution.

Pope Paul, who seems so frigidly aloof in comparison to his warm, affable democratic predecessor, Pope John, emerges in Cavallari's interview as an intensely human personality struggling to bridge the gap between ancient and modern by putting into effect the reforms instituted by John.

Pope Paul makes no secret of the fact that there is a crisis in the Vatican, but he is at pains to point out that it is not a crisis affecting faith but simply a clash of views as to ways and means of solving problems.

And this is the nub of the book—the continuing dialogue between conservatives and progressives, with a liberal Pope acting as arbiter, conscious that he alone must make the final decisions.

As Cavallari talks with the members of the old Curia and with the hotheads (if one may apply such a term to cardinals and bishops) of the "young Curia," it becomes apparent that, as always, a compromise will be found between traditionalism and modernity, a solution which will curb impetuosity but nevertheless be progressive without disturbing the foundations of the Church.

Changes there must be, but not too sudden, for the pendulum may swing back, as it has so often.

Some of the problems now being faced are the de-westernization of the Church's world outlook; dialogue with other Christian faiths and non-Christian faiths, with agnostics, atheists, communists; and the dilemmas of over-population and poverty.

Involved in all these and related problems is the need to "up-date" religious faith without sacrificing dogmatic truth.

Factually and objectively, the brilliant Cavallari gives us the inside story of the sociological, political and institutional factors that are revolutionizing the attitudes of the Vatican.

In the best journalistic style, he presents all viewpoints, synthesizes past and present, and offers his own prognosis.

The Changing Vatican is a fast-paced, provocative and illuminating portrait of today's Vatican, adjusting to immense pressures from within and without whilst trying to preserve its essential position.

This is not light reading by any means, but even those whose interest in the Roman Catholic Church is purely academic will find it intriguing.

Bruce Hutchison's Change of Pace

Bruce Hutchison's new book, **Western Windows**, is somewhat of a change of pace for this Victoria newspaperman and author, who is well known through his columns, which have appeared locally for nearly four decades, and his other articles and books of international importance.

WESTERN WINDOWS, by Bruce Hutchison; Longmans Canada; 184 pages; $4.95.

Mr. Hutchison is at once one of Canada's most enthusiastic boosters and severest critics.

His many books have ranged from an in-depth study of Mackenzie King (**The Incredible Canadian**) to a sometimes searing, but always searching look at the manners and mores of our Prime Ministers (**Mr. Prime Minister.**)

This new book, by no means as important, politically, as some of his other books, will probably carry a great deal more interest for Vancouver Island readers.

This book probably reveals the real Bruce Hutchison . . . certainly the one who is so well known here.

Western Windows is a provocative and often wildly humorous collection of 63 essays Mr. Hutchison has written over the years. They reveal him as an incisive Canadian thinker who has grown to love the out-of-doors and who feels that Canadians who live in the city are missing much of their grand and glorious heritage.

He discusses his life on a farm near Victoria and his days at his Shawnigan Lake summer cabin.

His story about B. C. Nicholas, editor of the Victoria Daily Times, who, he says, "ruled that paper like an emperor," makes interesting reading especially for those of us who can remember Benny Nicholas.

"When I planted a garden, built more cabins beside the lake and cut my firewood of alder from the swamp, I was beginning to master a second trade more engrossing and certainly more useful than the first. And while I made a good pretence of interest in journalism and politics, at time almost believing it myself, I was wedded to the rich earth and the teeming forest of Vancouver Island," he says.

BRUCE HUTCHISON
. . . informal mood

This is a different kind of a book, by an author who started his career as a newspaperman in Victoria 50 years ago and has now become internationally recognized as one of Canada's most outstanding journalists. This is a book about and by the Bruce Hutchison Victorians know.

—A.R.M.

Agatha's Latest Thriller

ENDLESS NIGHT, by Agatha Christie; Collins; 224 pages; $3.95.

Every year at about this time thousands of people all over the English - speaking world troop into hundreds of bookshops and ask plaintively: "Is the new Agatha Christie out yet?" It always is.

This remarkable author manages to produce quality crime stories as regular as clockwork. Her output is astonishing. In fact, on the flyleaf of her latest thriller, **Endless Night**, there is the usual list of works by the author, but after listing 25, the publishers gave up and added "etc., etc."

In **Endless Night**, Agatha Christie gives a rest to Hercule Poirot and the indefatigable Miss Marple, and tells a doom-laden tale of a poor boy who marries an heiress. The story is set in a chilling spot known as Gypsy's Acre.

The story ends in the revelation of a monstrous crime, complete with all the paraphernalia required to effect it.

I can't telly you anymore, for to divulge the plot of any book by this master of crime story-telling would be monstrously unfair. Anyway, who bothers about reviews of Agatha Christie books? All anyone wants to know is whether she has written anything new. — E.D.W-H.

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Books for Shooters

If that man on your Christmas shopping list is interested in guns and hunting here are some books that would make welcome gifts.

Reviewed by ALEC MERRIMAN
Colonist Outdoors Editor

GAME BIRD HUNTING IN THE WEST, by Mike Cramond; Mitchell Press; 246 pages; $5.95.

HARTMAN ON SKEET, by Barney Hartman; McClelland & Stewart; 141 pages; $3.95.

SKEET SHOOTING WITH D. LEE BRAUN, edited by Robert Campbell; A Remington Sportsman's Library Book; 157 pages.

GUN DIGEST 1968—22nd Anniversary Edition, edited by John T. Amber; Gun Digest Association, 4540 West Madison, Chicago, Illinois 60624; 480 pages; $6.95.

Mike Cramond's latest book, Game Bird Hunting in the West, arrived on my desk the morning I am writing this and I haven't had time to do anything, but leaf through it. But having read Mike's other two books and after scanning this one, I want to make sure to get even a scanty review in the Islander in time for Christmas shoppers.

Mike has obviously produced another winner. It is a little bigger than his Big Game Hunting in the West and Game Fishing in the West, but it follows his usual easy reading format ... a hunting adventure to start each chapter, followed by field identification and hunting methods.

Mike, who is outdoors editor of the Vancouver Daily Province, has covered all the game birds found in this area ... Canada geese, snow geese, brant, mallards, pintails, teal, canvasbacks, goldeneyes, greater and lesser scaups, bufflehead butterballs, Wilson's snipe, ruffed or willow grouse, blue grouse, Franklin grouse, sharptail grouse, chukar partridge, Hungarian partridge, pheasants, bandtail pigeons, mourning doves and ptarmigan.

In addition he has a chapter about guns and another one dealing with waterfowl equipment, cleaning ducks, course waterfowl, and the most important thing, the shooters.

His book is well illustrated with photographs of his hunting trips and with first class illustrations by Lima Calvert.

Mike, who has been a fishing partner of mine at times, sent this book with a suggestion that "perhaps we'll get out brant shooting this year." That is a suggestion I plan to take up, but he will be taking along rather a duffer at shooting. But this month I bought a first class hunting strain black Labrador puppy and I intend to take up bird hunting.

That is why Mike's new book is especially welcome to me. If ever there was a book of especial interest to west coast bird shooters, this is it.

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There are many more trap shooters than skeet shooters on Vancouver Island, but Hartman on Skeet and Skeet Shooting with D. Lee Braun should be of interest to all scattergun shooters.

Both are well illustrated with pictures and diagrams which leave little to guesswork.

The name of Barney Hartman is a byword within North America's skeet shooting community and during the last 20 years he has carried off every major skeet shooting trophy on the continent.

In his new book he talks in simple, easy-to-understand language just how he did it.

He was born in 1916 in a small mill town in Manitoba and at the age of 16 moved to a farm near Tisdale, Saskatchewan. There he learned to shoot in order to fill in some of the lean days of the depression.

He was introduced to skeet shooting in 1946 when he was a Search and Rescue pilot at Goose Bay, Labrador. Two friends had a range, ammunition and the clay birds for shooting. He approached his new pastime with a scientific precision which today is considered his greatest asset.

He began keeping records of every shot fired and "when I got fairly good I would analyse my misses—whether I shot too early or too late, too high or too low."

These are among the secrets he discloses in his new book.

D. Lee Braun is generally recognized as the greatest skeet shot that ever lived. The myriad records he has held and broken have been a feature of Ripley's Believe It or Not.

In his new book he passes on 35 years of experience to hopeful greats of the future.

His new book includes a history of the sport, tales from actual competition, principles, station-by-station instruction and helpful hints for in-the-field shooting.

A feature of his book is a portable pull-out chart of diagrammed skeet fundamentals.

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Gun Digest 1968 is available in sports and book stores and every gun, rifle, pistol or shotgun available to North American purchasers is listed and illustrated along with pertinent data about its costs and its characteristics.

To millions of gun devotees, it is the world's finest book on guns and gunning, on ammunition, on scopes and handloading, and on all the things which go to make a shooter's life complete.

It includes a discussion of all available ammunition, with tables to guide the tyro or veteran.

Most of the new products it describes are worthwhile, but if there is a lemon in the lot, you'll find it mentioned in Gun Digest, with no punches pulled.

Top writers in the shooting world have contributed articles.

Canadian Homesteaders

Reviewed by GEORGE ERSKINE INGLIS

To those unacquainted with the Prairie Provinces' system of surveying, squaring and quartering the title of this excellent book, **North-West of Sixteen,** must seem ambiguous. Once, however, one begins to turn the pages and read, the ambiguity disappears and a most revealing and entrancing picture of early Canadian homestead life comes into sharp focus.

NORTH-WEST OF SIXTEEN, by J. G. MacGregor; M. G. Hurtig; 224 pages; $4.95.

James G. MacGregor, who has a number of well-written histories of the West to his credit, has done a creditable job in recounting his early years on a Pembina River homestead in Northern Alberta, a spot to which his Scottish father and English mother took him at the tender age of one year.

North-West is a story of idealism, persistence and achievement. The old soldier, a 21-year veteran in the Scots Guards, who had fought the Fuzzy-Wuzzies, bivouacked on the African veldt throughout the Boer War, marched to the relief of Gordon at Khartoum, now sought peace and freedom on a 160 acre square patch in the midst of nowhere in northern Alberta.

Together with his wife, much more at home in Piccadilly than among the Pembina poplars, and his young son, the old soldier-turned farmer, literally hacked out a home for his family from a distressingly lonely land in which a stout axe and a sack of flour, a pinch of salt and a bag of tea were prime requisites for survival.

Dumped in the middle of their virginal homestead after a 60 mile trip north from Edmonton in a teamster's wagon, with only a tent for a home, the outlook of the parents is sharply pointed by their remarks as the teamster turned about and disappeared down the stumpy trail.

"Here we are," said Dad: "Farmers."

"Here we are," replied Mother: "Cast adrift."

As Mr. MacGregor continues his story, the panorama of homestead life, the shortcomings of the "green" homesteaders, their joys and sorrows, the strong love these people developed for their "bush" homes unfolds and grips the reader's imagination with realism and the feeling that one is present at the birth pangs of a new nation.

The author writes with love and accuracy, of his early life in the new country which, even in primitive roughness, held out a promise of riches and beauty.

DILYS LAING
. . . when she worked for Colonist

Former Victorian's Poems Published Posthumously

THE COLLECTED POEMS OF DILYS LAING; The Press of Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, 44106; 464 pages; $8.50.

Although Dilys Laing was not famous, many other poets admired her work and it was some of these poets, along with her husband, the poet Alexander Laing, who edited and produced two books of her poems after her death at the age of 53.

She had three books and a novel published while she was still alive and more than 100 of her poems were published in national publications such as Harper's Hudson Review, Kenyon Review, The Nation, The New Republic, Poetry, The Reporter, Saturday Review, Transatlantic Review, Virginia Quarterly Review, The Saturday Evening Post, Punch, The New York Times, The Ladies' Home Journal, McCalls, Chatelaine and a score of others.

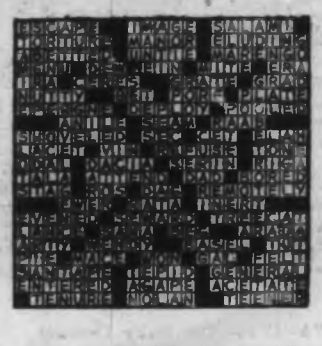
After her death more than 300 new poems were found in manuscript and it is these poems that are the backbone of **The Collected Poems of Dilys Laing.**

She was born in Pwllheli, North Wales, in 1906, and the day after her second birthday contracted polio, and it was this suffering that probably brought such great feeling to her poetry in later years.

She started her literary career at the age of 14 as editor of the Sunday children's page for the Vancouver Daily Sun.

In 1925 and 1926 she was on the editorial staff of The Daily Colonist as Dilys Bennett.—A. R. M.

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE



'SHALL WE DANCE?'

By BERT BINNY

Quite some years ago, when the Twentieth Century was yet in its mid-teens, parental wisdom ordained that I should learn to dance.

While, of course, I can never be absolutely certain on the point, I do feel that it was neither intended nor contemplated that I would pose a threat to the sovereignty of Nijinsky or Nureyev. For that matter, neither Fred Astaire nor Gene Kelly would need to suffer any professional disquietude while Ray Bolger and Bojangles Robinson could go forward unafraid lest they fall within my shadow.

Such terpsichorean prowess as I attained would function purely as a social asset; I would be lifted from the ranks of eternal wallflowers and might very conceivably be included in party guest lists which would otherwise be closed to me.

I rather think it was also regarded as likely that dancing would, in some unexplained manner, reduce the natural clumsiness so often associated with male youth, producing something in the nature of a swan rather than a goose.

Once a week I was escorted to a place called Burgess Hill in Sussex where, in a large room in the Town Hall, we penetrated the mysteries and, with varying degrees of success, executed the movements of the waltz, the foxtrot, the polka and the gallop.

This last incidentally, was very popular with the male students. It combined an attractive simplicity in the learning with a large possibility of even more attractive results in the execution. The aim was to bring about as many and as violent collisions as we could though, naturally, this was frowned on by the faculty.

It was exhilarating indeed to start at one end of the hall and gallop to the other at ever-increasing speed, finishing with a head-on whammo right into some unsuspecting or unwary couple. Skilled and proper management ensured that it was your partner who actually made contact and received the full effect of this bruising manoeuvre and, if your partner happened to be a girl, the day could be counted a brilliant success.

We had actually discovered a use for little girls, otherwise the objects of complete derision and something to be assiduously avoided.

Our teacher was a certain Miss Gray. I can see her now, dutifully followed by her associate professors; stern and austere; her color exactly consonant with her name; her voice deep and gravel-toned. We were scared stiff of Miss Gray. She seemed to us so full of years that it would not have been at all hard to convince us that she had once instructed William the Conqueror before the Battle of Hastings.

Every Saturday afternoon, it seemed, the nether regions opened up and yielded forth Miss Gray, expressly to put a crimp in our weekends otherwise free from all toils.

These weekly skirmishes with the arts continued, as I remember, for a year or more after which I was packed off to a boarding school.

As far as I, personally, was concerned, there was much to recommend this move. Although I was only just over eight at the time, this was a distinct promotion.

I felt I was on the very threshold of man's estate. No further co-education with my sister; no further entanglements with little girls; no more waltzing or fox-trotting. I envisaged male sanctuary at its best.

Then, one Saturday evening shortly after school opened, we were assembled in the big hall—I remember it was called Narrow Hall—and who should come sweeping in, austere, pale, stentorian and trailed by a little knot of acolytes, but . . . you guessed it! . . . Miss Gray.

". . . SIX YEARS OF TRAINING AND 40 YEARS OF WAITING . . ." Bert Binny and dance chorus: Carol Fraser, Pamela Mitchell, Wendy Murfitt, Wendy Weychuk, Cheryl Hay, Carol Peterson and Dawn Dekergommeaux. (Zoal photo.)

And I continued under her tutelage for another five years which, as they slipped by, altered my view considerably. Outright animosity gave way to tolerance and tolerance, in turn, to a measure of friendliness.

Today, Miss Gray is one of my most highly respected memories. How, for years and years, she contrived to persist in the laudable attempt to put some small degree of grace in such as I and, at the same time, to avoid utter collapse, I shall never know.

But she did.

It has occurred to me on occasion that all this early concern with dancing should have produced some results. Six or seven years with Miss Gray was no picnic.

But the efforts expended on both sides were of doubtful value in the pursuit of such vocations as agriculture, forestry, cowpunching, schoolteaching and even writing for the Colonist, activities which have occupied my time variously since 1930.

There was one particular dividend, however, which accrued to this large investment in time and energy.

It led to my first date.

The lady in question — a stunning blonde — was a certain Miss Lawrence (not Gertrude). In point of fact, this could well have been a professional name. Miss Lawrence was a professional ballroom dancer at Sherry's Dance Hall in Brighton. The time came when I sought her out quite diligently and, on payment of her fee for professional dancing services over a number of dances, could rescue her from the little pen where she and her fellows awaited business, and have a jolly tete-a-tete. I even took Miss Lawrence to the pictures, as the movies were then called, on her day off.

It was all very gallant and thrilling even if, at the same time, expensive. But it didn't last and I find it hard to believe that Miss Lawrence was left utterly broken-hearted.

But the point is that, save for the ministrations of Miss Gray, I never would have encountered Miss Lawrence and there would have been even greater delay until romance entered my life.

Then, just a few short weeks ago, my dancing career suddenly reached its zenith. At last, after close to half a century, I had scaled the heights.

I was asked to be a guest artist at a Dance Revue right here in cultured Victoria.

Thoroughly elated, I passed the glad news on to a young dancing friend of mine.

She stopped dead in her tracks.

"YOU?!&?!" she said.

"Why not?" said I.

"I'll believe it when I see it," she said.

"Fine," said I, "allow me to sell you a ticket?"

She tilted up her chin and marched away.

But my ardor was not to be dampened by mere incredulity; even the surprising amount of it that I encountered. Everyone knows that history is studded with the names of unrecognized geniuses.

The Revue concerned was the Marge Lindley Studios' The Big Step, presented at the McPherson Playhouse and a brisk, colorful and varied affair.

I was not called upon for an adagio or a ballet item nor, indeed, for a demonstration of my old favorite, the Gallop.

I didn't waltz or tap or frug or fox-trot. No breathtaking arabesques, pirouettes or jetees for me.

I slept.

It was, I feel, an unusual form of the dancing art which never occurred to Miss Gray.

In full western regalia, I packed my saddle onto the stage, dumped it, lay down, covered myself with a becoming red blanket and dozed peacefully through the western segment of the program.

But whatever I did — and this included the occasional, realistic burst of snoring — the fact remained that, after six years of training and 40 years of waiting, I had achieved recognition and was included in a dance act.

It is a stirring example of how one should never give up hope. The big moment may be right around the corner.

I might mention also that the view of the dancers from a position prone on the floor is both different and interesting.

Nevertheless, while I was admittedly stealing surreptitious glances at them, a line of very youthful cowgirls were returning the compliment.

I don't think they could quite account for my presence.

After a rehearsal I remember saying: "Well, I guess I'm done."

Upon which a diminutive cowgirl swung round and laid it right on the line.

Said she: "What did you do?"

Ah, me! She'll never really be able to appreciate the answer to that one until she's a whole lot older!

THIS WEEK'S ANAGRAM

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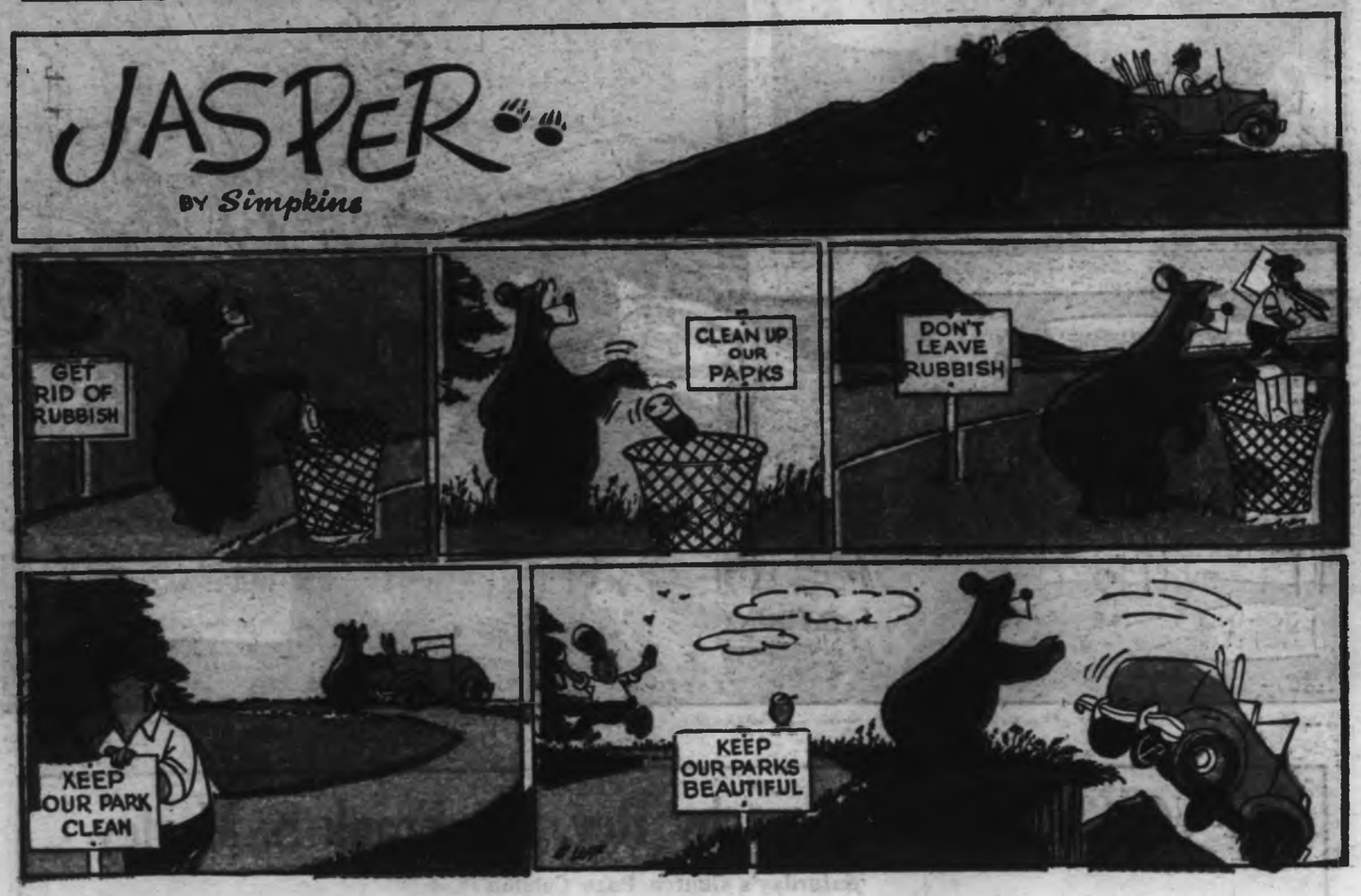

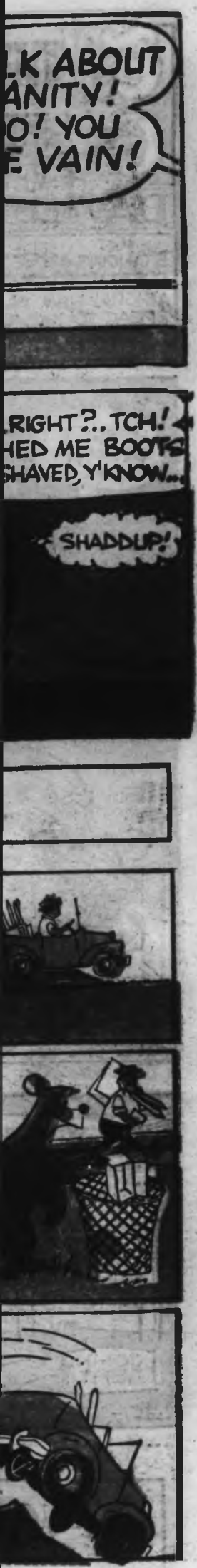

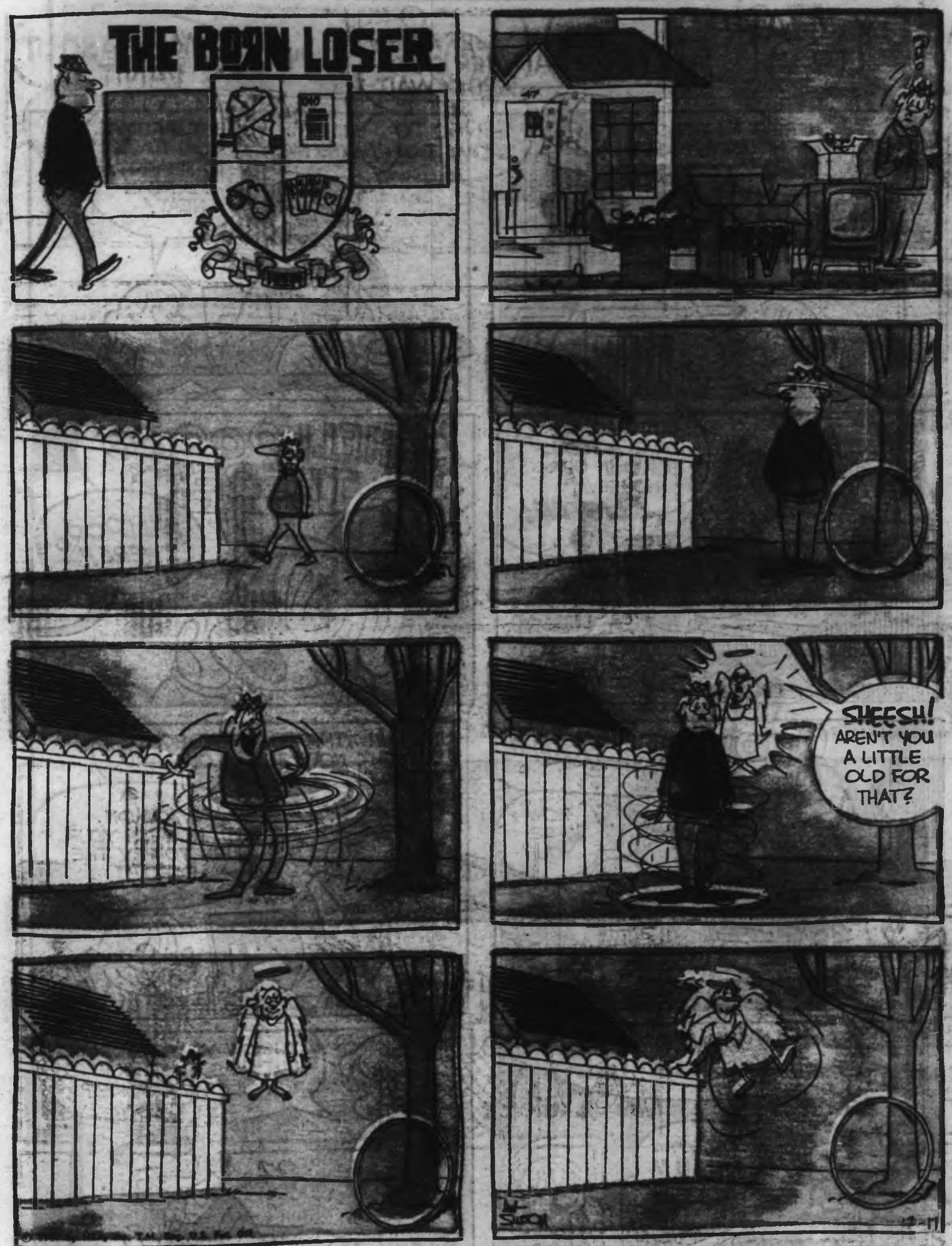

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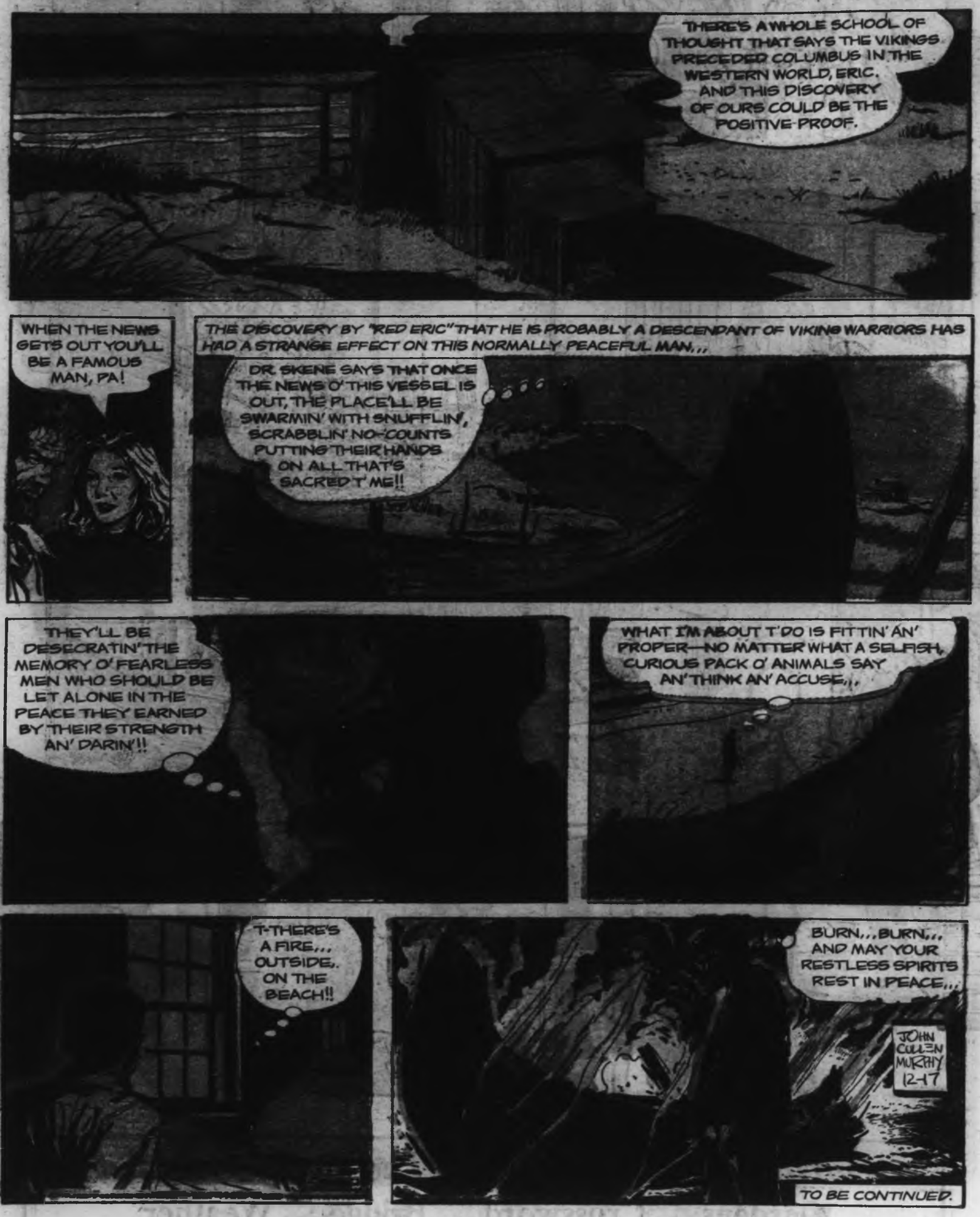

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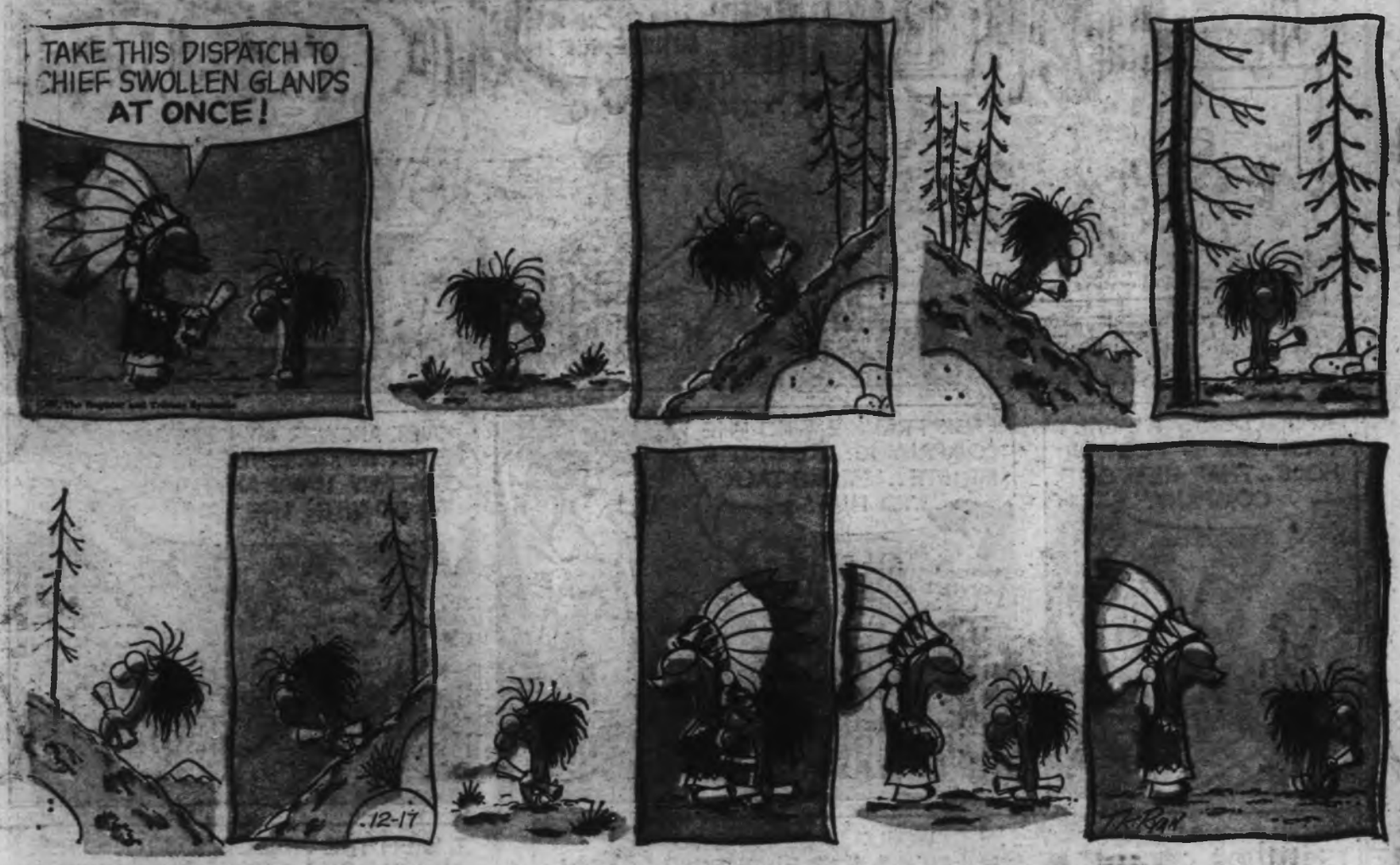

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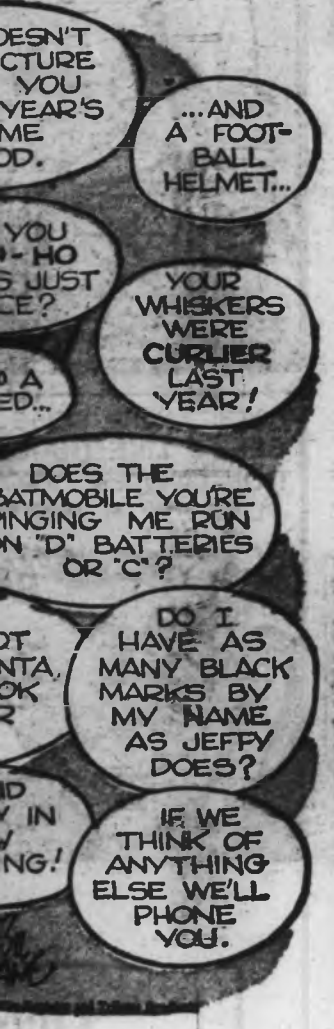

LI'L ABNER by AL CAPP

LATEST SPORTS...WITH YOUR BREAKFAST

BLONDIE
MR. BUMSTEAD, I'LL BET YOU CAN'T FIND ME IF I HIDE SOMEPLACE IN YOUR HOUSE
OKAY, ELMO, READY OR NOT--- HERE I COME
HE'S NOT IN THERE
HE'S NOT IN THE CLOSET
WELL, THAT BEATS ME--- HE'S NOT IN THE ATTIC EITHER
?
YOO-HOO, DAGWOOD--- COME TO DINNER
OKAY, BLONDIE, I'LL BE THERE
GREAT DINNER, DEAR
THANK YOU
THAT WAS A LONG MOVIE TONIGHT
YES--IT'S MIDNIGHT
I'M SO TIRED TONIGHT--- YAWN
YAWN-- ME TOO-- LET'S GET TO BED
GOOD NIGHT, DEAR
GOOD NIGHT
DO YOU GIVE UP, MR. BUMSTEAD?
DON'T YOU EVEN WANT TO KNOW WHERE I WAS HIDING?